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I am writing to express my strong disapproval of the proposed trash transfer station near Shirk and 2nd St.

This area already experiences a heavy concentration of industrial activity that negatively affects the surrounding community. Adding another industrial waste operation would further increase truck traffic, road congestion, noise, dust, and air pollution in a part of the city that is already overburdened.

Residents and nearby businesses are already impacted by poor air quality and constant industrial traffic. A trash transfer station would likely bring a significant increase in large commercial trucks traveling through the area daily, creating additional safety concerns for drivers, pedestrians, and nearby neighborhoods.

The cumulative impact of multiple industrial operations in the same area must be considered. Concentrating more waste-related facilities here places an unfair environmental burden on the community and risks lowering overall quality of life.

I urge the city and decision-makers to deny approval of this project and instead prioritize responsible development that protects community health, traffic safety, and air quality.