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To Whom It May Concern,

I am deeply concerned that the proposed list of Best Management Practices for Aggregate Production Operations is grossly inadequate. For starters, they do not address practices to minimize water consumption, noise, and light pollution, as was directed to by the Texas Legislature. The BMPs for the areas they do address — dust and water storage — also warrant serious improvement.

As a nonprofit professional working in the environmental sector and seeking to minimize the impacts of such work on our environment, this is a cause that matters greatly to me. For the health and safety of all Texans, it is vital that we bolster the list and protect our people, plants, and animals.

The TCEQ should further develop their list of BMPs, making sure to thoroughly address all of the issues that the Legislature directed them to address.

Sincerely, Madison Lozano