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My household is vehemently against the Copper World Air Permit. There is no other copper mine this close to such a heavily populated area in the entire country.

The fact it is only a Class II for air and water quality control is appalling. There is an elementary and middle school 1.5 miles from the site. The toxins are well known, a Class I would at least keep more stringent models and third party testing to be in place. The fact that only 45 mph winds is the criteria for Hudbay to contain is shocking. We are in monsoon land with heavier winds occurring SEVERAL times on a regular basis. The USA does NOT have a shortage of copper - that is a FACT. So why not harvest from existing mines and preserve our tourism, local habitats, water and air quality and enjoy the majesty that 1.5 million people in the greater Tucson area is famous for. The short term harvest of 10-30 years for copper - will violate our children and grandchildren's futures here. There will be NO jobs with all the toxic waste zone you are considering. I beg you to turn down the Air Permit and save our children's future. Save the millions of years in the development of these mountains and all the animals lives that depend of clean air, water and habitat. You will destroy greater Tucson/Sahuarita/Vail/Green Valley with the toxicity and obliterate the landscape with no return EVER in sight. Stick to the FACTS and not the marketing from a multi billion dollar Canadian company shipping Arizonas ore to CHINA.