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I think that confining the environmental concerns to air and water quality is too narrow. We also need to think about noise and light pollution, which also have a significant impact on quality of life for residents in Benson. Light pollution is out of control in Benson, which is severely degrading the quality of the night sky throughout Cochise County. The light dome from Benson is already visible through Cochise County, from the Dragoon Mountains to Kartchner Caverns State Park (presently a Dark Sky Park). This plant needs to be stopped until such time as they present plans for ensuring a minimal impact on air quality, water availability, noise pollution, and light pollution.