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Say No to the Asphalt Production Plant!

Vulcan Materials is seeking a special permit approval to be allowed to add an asphalt plant to their site off of Edsall Road, adjacent to residential neighborhoods. An asphalt plant could have a very negative impact on your quality of life (from fumes and odors) and also on home values. According to the United States Government, the "health effects from exposure to asphalt fumes include headache, skin rash, sensitization, fatigue, reduced appetite, throat and eye irritation, cough, and skin cancer." The proposed site is surrounded by existing schools and daycare facilities.

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Right now, the Fairfax County Planning Commission and Board of Supervisors are poised to approve the Vulcan Materials proposal, including at least one and possibly multiple new asphalt facilities, as well as rezoning existing residential and commercial areas as "heavy industrial."

THE TIME TO TAKE ACTION IS NOW!

Contact the Fairfax County Planning Committee who are currently accepting written comment on this matter by email: plancom@fairfaxcounty.gov and let them know how you feel.

Inform your neighbors and friends, and, if you are renting your home, please pass this information on to your landlord immediately.

Sign the petition against the Vulcan Materials special permit:

<http://STOPtheAsphaltPlant.com/>

Complain to your Mason District Board of Supervisors representative Penny Gross and let her know this asphalt plant is unacceptable: mason@fairfaxcounty.gov (703) 256-7717.

Join the conversation with your neighbors online: <http://www.nextdoor.com/>

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