The North Baton Rouge Sewage Treatment Plant continues to violate the citizens of University Place Subdivision on a daily basis

G.Mitchell to: Ericka Farrell 10/01/2009 06:24 PM

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Dear,
Mrs.Yorker and Mrs.Farrell

We are writing to you seeking positive assistance to some very negative problems. The citizens of University Place Subdivision are still suffering through the **dreadful, unhealthy, and down right shameful conditions forced upon this community**, due to the total negligence of the city owned (City of Baton Rouge, Louisiana) sewage treatment plant. The damage has been done to this community and the **North Baton Rouge Sewage Treatment Plant continues to violate the people of this community**.The sewage treatment plant is a major concern /problem / nuisance for this community which we suffer through on a daily basis.The ***strong offensive odors of human waste*** and other ***strong sickening chemical odors*** , causes the citizens (***Adults and Children***) of this community to become nauseated (ill) often. The disease carrying sewer flies / filter flies lands on the human waste through out the plant site during the daily process of the sewer plant, then the sewer flies soar and land through out the community spreading the contamination. The sewer flies have flown into the mouths of citizens while talking or trying to enjoy a meal at home, yes! in your food (inside and outside of our homes). There is community outcry! This was all done to this community, because this is a minority and poor community. Read Mayor Melvin "Kip" Holdens testimony, but now that he is Mayor he says his hands are tied and he can't do anything,but calls news conferences to get voters to pass a tax to build an aquarium downtown and this community is living in a toilet bowl for years, which the City Of Baton Rouge forced on this community. This is one of the biggest civil rights violations you've ever seen, and to know that the City Of Baton Rouge, Louisiana had other options available and could have prepared the proper foundation to expand the treatment plant toward the river rather than next to these homes. Instead of expanding toward the river away from the residential neighborhood, the City Parish delayed in making a decision, leaving few options to timely comply with the order of the Environmental Protection Agency. The City Of Baton Rouge, Louisiana chose to do this to our community. Read it, it's all in this packet. This community need your help. (ASAP)

Your positive attention to this major community problem /concern will be greatly appreciated, please feel free to contact us at [redacted] or P.O.B.74054 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70807

"Always remember to put the people before the politics"

Thanks,
Mr.Gregory R.Mitchell

and the Concerned citizens of University Place Subdivision

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