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The Temecula Valley Unified School District Board of Trustees is committed to providing a safe learning environment that promotes the health and well-being of children under our care.

We are concerned the significant and unavoidable impacts on air quality outlined in the Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) for the proposed Liberty Quarry have the potential to negatively impact the health of our students.

As a public school system, we are funded on average daily attendance and potential increases in absences would result in a loss of instructional time and district funding.

The DEIR states even with mitigation measures, air quality issues remain considerable and unavoidable.

We are also concerned that ground level dust studies were not conducted on the fields or playgrounds of our schools downwind from the proposed quarry.

We therefore ask the County Board of Supervisors to seriously consider the potential air quality impacts found in the DEIR that may put in jeopardy the health of thousands of children who attend school in close proximity to the proposed mining site.

Sincerely,

Vincent O'Neal
President of the Governing Board