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Mr. Mark Gordon  
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Terri A. Lorenzon, Director  
Environmental Quality Council

Dear Mr. Gordon:

Since I joined CBM Associates, Inc on January 2005 as a software developer, mainly I have supported our environmental technicians by maintaining databases and building efficient software. Frankly speaking, I do not know how much it is serious the environmental problem in Wyoming due to CBM industry. However, I know how much our company tries to do our best to save our environment.

Do you know how much analysis data in our database? Over 1.35 million records exist in our database. We are keeping track of all those data and monitoring every point of discharge. As one of members who manage all the information, I am really proud of what I am doing now. If we are living in the world of a decade ago, we may have to seriously consider continuing CBM industry because of technological limitation. However, it is twenty first century, and all kinds of technology have developed significantly compared to a decade before. If you look at how we manage our environment technologically, you would give us more credit.

Since I have moved to Laramie to pursue master of e.Business in the University of Wyoming on June 2003, I was amazed couple of times by the Mother Nature of Wyoming. As a big fan of Wyoming now, I really respect the efforts of PRBRC and EQC to save our wonderful environment. Only one problem of the petition is that it is going to the extreme. Based on the approach, living nobody in Wyoming will be the best way to keep the state clean. Possibly, making whole Wyoming National part like Yellow Stone could be ideal environmental solution.

If it really happens, do residents of Wyoming evacuate right now? You may think it is not going to happen because too many people live in Wyoming already. In the same manner, there are thousands of people who work in the CBM industry already, and do you really think they have to quit their job right now? Some of people in CBM industry may think of only money rather than our environment. However, most of them follow the regulation of WDEQ very thoroughly. If you think the current regulation is not enough, we can gradually make the regulation stricter.

Thank you for giving us opportunity to comment, and please feel free to contact me anytime if you want more information.

Sincerely,

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