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Document 125 – Form Email Comments from Wild Earth Guardians Supporters Via <http://www.wildearthguardians.org>

The EPA received over 1,800 identical email comments during the public comment period from supporters of the non-profit organization Wild Earth Guardians. The following page contains an example of the emails received.



Bonanza Power Plant Draft Title V Operating Permit

Anne Iulianelli to: R8AirPermitting

Sent by: WildEarth Guardians <action@wildearthguardians.org>

05/23/2014 08:36 AM

From: Anne Iulianelli <[REDACTED]>
To: R8AirPermitting@EPA
Sent by: WildEarth Guardians <[REDACTED]>
Please respond to Anne Iulianelli <[REDACTED]>

May 23, 2014

Mike Owens

Dear Owens,

I support the Environmental Protection Agency's efforts to ensure the Bonanza coal-fired power plant in northeastern Utah is finally brought into compliance with the Clean Air Act. For too long, the power plant has escaped accountability to clean air laws, putting the air in northeastern Utah and neighboring Colorado at great risk.

I support efforts to ensure the power plant installs legally required pollution controls to keep toxic pollution at bay. The Bonanza power plant has largely escaped regulation for years while other power plants in the region have made significant clean air upgrades. In essence, the cost of air pollution was put on our shoulders. I support the EPA's efforts to ensure the owners of Bonanza shoulder the cost of controlling their air pollution if they continue to operate their coal-fired power plant.

To this end, I support the EPA's proposed Title V Operating Permit. However, the proposed permit should be written to ensure that the Bonanza power plant's owner installs legally required up-to-date pollution controls as soon as possible. The EPA must also establish a deadline to ensure that if the plant's owner does not install the legally required controls as soon as possible, they must shutdown.

There is no excuse for illegally operating a coal-fired power plant.

EPA must ensure that Bonanza cleans up or shuts down.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Anne Iulianelli

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