# Why don't you idiots move back to Texas where you belong. Rio Rancho gets all of its drinking water from wells.

### TED DROEGE <teddroege@gmail.com>

Tue 11/6/2018 9:42 PM

To: Public Comment < Public Comment@sandovalcountynm.gov >;

AMREP sucks. Every house they built in this town is falling apart due to the cheap materials they used and they are only interested in taking advantage of people and enriching themselves......Ted Droege

## Fracking in the Rio Grande Basin

#### Michael Carpenter < michaelpaints@comcast.net >

Wed 11/7/2018 6:59 AM

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Is it true Commissioner Heil has ties to the oil and gas industry? If true that would be clear conflict of interest. My interest and the interest of my neighbors is protection of our drinking water and air.

The election of Katherine Bruch to the Commission should send a clear message that we are unhappy with the danger posed when fracking flirts with the Commission in the hopes of gaining favor.

Fracking, uranium mining and coal burning in neighboring counties has already hurt the health of residents of Four Corners. We don't want the health problems here! Fracking should not be permitted in this county, The Commission's duty is clear.

I am tired of feeling unprotected by the Commission who fails to pass an ordinance that permanently protects our ground water with a total ban on fracking in Sandoval County.

Let me pose an analogy. Where I grew up "extraction on steroids" by the fishing industry was banned before I was born so the industry could coexist with the oyster population of the Chesapeake Bay, which it does.

Let's remember other types of oil extraction are still available.

Thank you for providing this feedback period. We will see you November 8 at your meeting.

B. Michael Carpenter

## Written Public Comment: Fracking proposed for RRE Impact

Wed 11/7/2018 11:13 AM

To: Public Comment < Public Comment@sandovalcountynm.gov >;

I did not move to Rio Rancho, buy a home, renovate and upgrade this home, pay property taxes to later have drilling and fracking take place one mile down the road.

I moved to quiet neighborhood in Rio Rancho instead of Albuquerque to be out of the fray of traffic and noise.

The proposed site in the Rio Rancho Estates will not only waste what precious limited water we have here in Rio Rancho, put us at risk for earthquakes, water contaminated, and oil spills, but also a huge influx of heave truck traffic that will destroy our roads and increase traffic and noise.

Are you going to buy my home when I can't sell it because you have ruined the housing market?

Lynn Black

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## Written Public Comment: Fracking proposed for RRE Impact

Lynn Black < lblack4321@gmail.com>

Wed 11/7/2018 11:19 AM

To: Public Comment < Public Comment@sandovalcountynm.gov >;

I am appalled that you have chosen to stopped allowing public comments at your <u>open</u> meetings. I pay taxes and you are deciding on the quality of my life in our community. I have a right to be heard and to express my concerns. I was told in a previous meeting when concerns were expressed about water issues and the Chairman replied "I don't care about that I want to bring in jobs."

That is a fallacy. These are not new jobs. The same workers are shuffled around the country. First they are in Oklahoma, then they are in the North Dakota, after New Mexico they will go to Alaska. They come here to make a mess of our city and then disappear and never look back.

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## FW: Urgent RE: Issues during Nov 1, 2018, County Commssion meeting.

**From:** Charles Arasim [mailto:crarasim@gmail.com] **Sent:** Wednesday, November 7, 2018 1:02 PM **To:** Dave Heil <dheil@sandovalcountynm.gov>

Cc: Melissa Perez <mxperez@sandovalcountynm.gov>; Dianne Maes <dmaes@sandovalcountynm.gov>

Subject: Urgent RE: Issues during Nov 1, 2018, County Commssion meeting.

This Message has originated outside your organization.

Chairman Heil,

As a resident of Sandoval County I am concerned as to jeopardy my tax dollars have been placed into by the actions of Commissioners Jay Block, Kenneth Eichwald, Don Chapman and James Holden-Rhodes. I am also concerned as to the inaction by County Attorney Robin Hammer.

During last week's Commission meeting on November 1, Commissioner Block had private communications on his laptop computer with a gentleman named Mark LeClaire, and I also suspect on his private cell phone with other individuals due to the fact that Mr. Bock's cell phone was buzzing the entire meeting, in violation of your order that no public comment would be allowed at that meeting and in clear violation of the Commission's 2018 Article II Rules of Procedure - Section A Rules of Order and Debate - Subsection A4 where it states in part: "No Commissioner shall engage in private discourse". I do not doubt that Commissioner Block's acitions have opened the door to costly litigation concerning discrimination against residents of the County, such as myself, for violations of their freedom of speech rights simply due to how close of a relationship they may have with Commissioner Block.

As to the other Commissioners I have mentioned, I believe they clearly violated the Commissions 2018 Article II Rules of Procedure - Section F Voting - Subsection F1 where it states in part: "[W]hen the Chair calls for a vote on a motion, every member, in the Commission Chambers, must give his/her vote, unless the member has publicly stated that s/he is abstaining from voting due to a conflict of interest." Again I believe Commissioners Eichwald, Chapman and Holden-Rhodes, have placed County funds, i.e., my tax dollars, by their abstaining from votes in violation of the Commission's rules, in jeopardy of costly litigation.

Unfortunately, I have no recommendations as to what actions you, as the Chair of the County Commission, must take to remedy the, what I can only describe as unlawful, operations of Commissioners Block, Eichwald, Chapman and Holden-Rhodes.

As to Ms. Hammer, as the County Attorney, I believe her inaction to protect the County from costly litigation is in violation of her duty to the County residents, such as myself, and requires your immediate demand for her resignation.

Your prompt response outlining the actions you to plan to take concerning these issues would be much appreciated.

Regards, Mr. Charles Arasim Rio Rancho, NM

P.S. Due to the November 1, County Commission meeting being completely devoted to a discussion of the pending County Oil & Gas Ordinance, I ask that the body of this email be placed on the County webpage (shown here: <a href="https://www.sandovalcountynm.gov/ogordinance/">https://www.sandovalcountynm.gov/ogordinance/</a>) assigned to the Ordinance under "Written Public Comments" for the week ending 11-9-18.

Sent via email only 11-7-18 @ 1:02PM CC'd County PIO - Melissa Perez CC'd County Manager - Dianne Maes