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Ravena is Not Interested in Connecticut's Garbage

Dear Neighbor,

Recent news coverage has suggested Lafarge's Ravena cement plant is getting ready to receive material that was formerly burned at a Hartford, Connecticut incinerator to use as fuel. This is not correct.

There is no deal in place that would lead to this outcome, nor does our plant even have the necessary environmental permits or the capability to receive that type of material. Without our consent, Mustang Renewable Power Ventures listed the Ravena plant as a potential partner for co-processing this material.

The fact is that we and Mustang Renewable Power Ventures agreed to talk about the possibility of using alternative fuels, but that is all. There are no contracts, agreements, or plans for the Ravena plant to work with this company and, in fact, we have determined that we will not be pursuing a relationship with Mustang Renewable Power Ventures at our Ravena plant in the future.

We understand why recent coverage would be upsetting to the local community and its leaders. Frankly, we are as upset as others about being named, without our consent, as a potential destination for these materials. We have been transparent about the major decisions at this facility and will continue to do so in the future.

We apologize for any frustration this has caused around the holidays, and please know that our doors are always open and we are always available to our neighbors who have further questions.

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