

RESOLUTION 2018-224
OPPOSING THE APPLICATION OF ELCON RECYCLING SERVICES, LLC,
RESUBMITTED TO THE PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION AGENCY FOR A PROPOSED HAZARDOUS WASTE FACILITY TO BE
LOCATED IN FALLS TOWNSHIP, PENNSYLVANIA

WHEREAS, Elcon Recycling Services, LLC, has resubmitted an application to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection Agency, which would allow for the construction of a thermal oxidizer facility in Falls Township, Bucks County, Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection states that this operation is a commercial hazardous waste treatment facility, and that it will treat liquid waste from the chemical and pharmaceutical industry; and

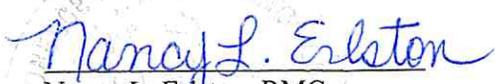
WHEREAS, according to the Clean Air Council, Elcon has applied to receive 596 different kinds of waste, producing 800 tons of hazardous sludge per year and 5,000 tons of hazardous salts; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Florence has concerns not only for air emissions, discharges to the Delaware River and the impact on the quality of life for residents in Pennsylvania and New Jersey, but also about the impact on potential municipal potable drinking wells;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Township of Florence, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, that it strongly opposes the construction of this commercial hazardous waste treatment facility; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township Clerk is hereby directed to forward a certified copy of this Resolution to the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection; New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Burlington County Municipal Clerks and the Burlington County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

I, NANCY L. ERLSTON, Clerk of the Township of Florence, County of Burlington, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the Resolution approved by the Township Council at their October 3, 2018 meeting.


Nancy L. Erlston, RMC
Township Clerk

TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE, BURLINGTON COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

Note: This Resolution opposes the hazardous waste treatment facility proposed for Falls Township, Pennsylvania.