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Subject: Fracking on Lake Conroe

Dear Sir,

I received information regarding the possibility of fracking in our National Forest and around our water supply reservoir of Lake Conroe. The dangers seem obvious that there is a true concern of possible land and water contamination in addition to our water supply, air quality, wildlife, plants and trees. I thought the National Forests were designated to protect the environment and serve the public's need for recreational areas. Aren't they supposed to be used for hiking, camping, hunting, fishing and pure relaxation with nature? Right now, we enjoy many forms of wildlife besides the fish, there are hawks and eagles that are protected by that National Forest Reserve. Those activities and wildlife will be hindered with fracking rig towers, water pits, odor and noise pollution. Then there's Forest roads occupied and damaged by oil field equipment, damage to the Forest floor, restrictions on where you can hunt and fish, and that outside possibility of environmental and water supply contamination. The reward is not worth the risk in my opinion.

Thank you for this consideration from a concerned homeowner on Lake Conroe.

Sheila Bahr