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Comments: I have a few questions about the South 32 mine processing of the zinc and manganese ore.

1. How would the mine prevent it from polluting the air and water? We know exposure to manganese dust causes neurological diseases and other health problems. Will there be continual monitoring? We must prevent children (as well as adults) from being exposed to manganese dust as it causes ADD, memory loss, and damages human organs.

2. I am concerned about the cement paste which will be used underground for filling in removed earth. Please research what side effects can be caused by mixing and using the tailings and cement mixture underground. How will that effect us humans as well as animals in the long run?

South 32 is not treating the earth as a sacred living organism. This will cause damage to our eco-system. Please consider this in your study of the impacts from the mining activity.