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ATTENTION EFFINGHAM RESIDENTS:

Did you know that Charles Ingram Lumber, under the name Effingham Pellets LLC, wants to extend its facilities to produce wood pellets, a process that puts our health, economy, and environment at risk?

What else do we know?

- ❖ Effingham Pellets LLC would destroy trees and worsen flooding.
- ❖ Trees are God's first natural defense against flooding.
- ❖ These facilities pollute our air!
- ❖ There is no market for wood pellets in the US!
- ❖ The Effingham community has 11,000 people. This facility would create 10 jobs and likely less than that for local residents.
- ❖ Trees clean our air and water.
- ❖ South Carolina residents are subsidizing this wood pellet facility, all the while it brings only 10 jobs to our local economy, if that, and does not contribute to our economy otherwise.



Want to breathe clean air? Want your children to stay in school and healthy? Join us! Help us to stop the plant!

- ✓ Effingham Pellets LLC claims that Charles Ingram, a partial owner has good relationships in Effingham. **This is not true!**
- ✓ The company also expects that the operation of the pellet plant will reduce truck traffic in the neighboring area. **We know from many other communities in the southeast that the opposite is true!**
- ✓ We need elected officials that care about our community and what we need. Florence County Council elections are coming up in 2022. **Hold our officials accountable!**

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