

STATEMENT A4 – Tracey Gudonis

Please take this as my outright objection to the proposed Grundons Waste Transfer Station at St Philips Marsh. As a parent of children who attended St Philips Marsh Nursery I am flabbergasted that I find myself objecting to YET ANOTHER ridiculous plan to develop a highly polluting site so close to the nursery and the Educational unit adjacent to that. Having read through the document where it is suggested that the plan might well be approved I would like to ask if you or anyone within the planning department at Bristol Council have taken the time to stand near the EXISTING WASTE PLANTS in St Philips and take a few good, long, deep breaths to see just how clean you think the air is there. I can assure you that you can feel the particulates entering your nasal cavity and lungs on a wind free day.

Adding to this existing pollution is not an option, especially so close to young children and vulnerably teenagers.

As a parent of a child with poor lung health I know only too well how distressing it is seeing your child struggle for breath, and what an extra stress on the NHS it is having additional children staying overnight on oxygen, ventilators, monitors and observation. This is simply NOT the place for this site and I would also argue that it reeks of environmental racism. I'm sure you would never contemplate placing such a facility as this in Clifton!!!

I would like an opportunity to speak at the committee meeting on Thursday please?

Please see also the following, very valid and well researched points. (SEE STATEMENT A3)

Kind regards,

Tracey Gudonis