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As an OHS professional who gives advice regarding asbestos management planning to organisations as well as to businesses, I will normally advise them that working along the hierarchy risk of control in asbestos management is to consider elimination as the most effective risk control.

I will normally tell them that it is not worth taking the risk of living with asbestos exposure especially so that the fine minute fibres can be airborne.

A tiny particle of the fibre that can enter into the respiratory system of vulnerable group of people - infants, children and the elderly can bring about significant health consequences.

There are already scientific research studies on this. Exposure to asbestos dust is not limited to those working inside workplaces.

As asbestos dust is airborne depending on the direction of wind and the force of wind, the dust can travel with the wind and land on the residential area.

Georges Fair residential area lies west to north-west of the proposed Moorebank Recycling site.

You need the south-easterly wind to cause this.

The chances of this happening is significant as the area of Georges Fair lies on the slope of the Moorebank plateau facing east.

The chances of the airborne asbestos dust ending up inside the many homes is significant.

As a resident of Georges Fair, I am very concern of this happening to me.

I have to tell myself that if my advice to others that the best control is elimination, then the action of elimination control is to sell my property at Georges Fair and move away from this estate.

First of all, should I be doing that?

Secondly, is it fair that I pass on the hazard problem to the buyer of my property?

Do I owe to the buyer a duty of care?

Of course I will not sell.

So the solution to this is by applying elimination control action is not to approve Moorebank Recycling to proceed with the project.

Is it worth risking the health and lives of 4000 people staying in 1000 homes of an average of 4 occupants to a home at Georges Fair estate?

Cement recycling site operation and residential area less than 500 metres away are just NOT compatible.

Can we really believe that when the cement are collected for recycling will not contain asbestos fibres?

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Moorebank Recycling Proposal

It is just one hour away from placing our objection to this Moorebank Recycling Project submission now before the NSW Department of Planning and Infrastructure.

So much have been said by the many residents surrounding the area and vicinity concerning Moorebank Recycling. I am one of the residents of Georges Fair at Moorebank. We are living in a stage of fear and anxiety that Moorebank Recycling project will be approved by NSW Department of Planning and Infrastructure and then putting up with the unknown.

Please be in our shoes. Please stay in our area for at least one week. I will be happy to accommodate you so that you can experience our fear and anxiety, our anger.

We have all said enough, we are tired and feeling restless.

Please feel for us for a second.

Thanks all

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Resident at Georges Fair