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Snake River Oil and Gas has filed application to drill across from Woodgrain in Fruitland. This is insane!! So close to residential properties!

1. This will not only result in future illnesses connected to the drilling process - both air and water will be affected.
2. Aside from the health issues (which SHOULD be adequate to say NO) this will also end up in litigation as people begin to wake up to what's happening to them.
3. Is SROG going to pay for health testing of ALL residents within the affected range PRIOR to their operation? That is what employers do when they get new employees - baseline health screening. Oh, they're not going to do that? Oh, I didn't think so.
4. What about noise levels??

So many red flags, I can't believe anyone is even considering this. I sincerely hope that you're listening to the people and not the pocketbook - you've asked for comments, this is mine.

JUST SAY NO!

Sincerely,  
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reed  
Mr. and Mrs. Sean Reed