



HOUSTON WE HAVE A PROBLEM



Houston County Commissioners Appear to Back Pedal on Frac Sand Mining Ban

Rather than making a decision that reflects what the vast majority of Houston County residents want, some of the Houston County Commissioners appear to be backpeddling on the commitment they made during last week's public hearing to ban frac sand mining in Houston County. It appears they are now supporting regulation of frac sand mining through the adoption of a mining ordinance **WHICH WILL NOT PROTECT US**. The final vote on this issue is likely to take place at the upcoming Houston County Board Meeting on **Tuesday, March 3 at 9:00 AM**.

WE NEED A 4/5 SUPER-MAJORITY VOTE TO SECURE A BAN ON FRAC SAND



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Contact Teresa Walter and Steve Schuldt - Tell them you want a BAN!

Suggested talking points:

- If allowed, frac sand mining would destroy the beauty of Houston County, harm our roads, and be profoundly injurious to the health, safety, and well-being of your constituents.
- Houston County has neither the finances nor the personnel to monitor and regulate frac sand mining.
- Houston County Attorney has advised: You have every legal right, authority, and power to absolutely ban frac sand mining in Houston County.
- Follow the wishes of the people who elected you. Vote to ban frac mining!

SHOW YOUR SUPPORT FOR A BAN - ATTEND THE COUNTY BOARD MEETING

Tuesday, March 3, 9:00 AM

Houston County Courthouse, Commissioners' Room

304 South Marshall Street, Caledonia, MN

Take this flyer to your Houston County neighbors and ask them to do the same!

To learn more about frac sand mining, go to: www.sandpointtimes.com and www.freehoustonsand.com