

**\*\*\*\* SAY NO! TO THE GREAT FALLS SLAUGHTERHOUSE \*\*\*\***

**WHAT:** Madison Food Park LLC, Friesen Foods, LLC proposal to build a massive 3018 acre (**larger than Malmstrom AFB**) slaughterhouse/rendering facility for pig, chickens, and cattle.

**WHERE:** Located just East of Great Falls City limits (2 miles from MAFB and The Foothills subdivision) off Highway 89 bordering many family homes.

**CONCERNS:** \* This industry comprises 8 of the top 20 polluters in the US and its low wage job offerings force them to recruit and hire among vulnerable populations\*

**\*102, 995 POUNDS** of solid animal waste stored on site in massive anaerobic lagoons the size of +/- 70 football fields directly adjacent to creeks flowing into the Missouri River! Waste water spray fields 1,500 acres in size!

**\*3.5 MILLION GALLONS OF WATER DAILY** from the Madison Aquifer. This is the amount of water used by the city of Butte EVERY DAY!

**\* Similar facilities have wreaked havoc in their communities:**

- **Poisoned ground/well water**
- **Foul stench travelling many miles**
- **Damaged property values**
- **Toxic sewage spills into waterways**
- **Increased Crime**
- **Damaged quality of Life**
- **Over-crowded schools**
- **Burdened medical/fire/traffic services**

**PROJECT OVERVIEW:**

<http://www.cascadecountymt.gov/departments/public-works/planning>

[www.protectthefalls.com](http://www.protectthefalls.com)

**CALL TO ACTION:**

**1) SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS**

Cascade County Planning Division

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**STAY INFORMED:**

FACEBOOK PAGE: \* **Great Falls Area Concerned Citizens** \*

WEBSITE: [www.protectthefalls.com](http://www.protectthefalls.com)

**3) SPREAD THE WORD!** COPY THIS FLYER AND HAND IT OUT TO COMMUNITY MEMBERS. EMAIL QUESTIONS TO: [protectthefalls@gmail.com](mailto:protectthefalls@gmail.com)