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A position letter on the proposed Rockwool Plant to be constructed in Jefferson County, West Virginia

The Corporation of Shepherdstown is known for its commitment to protecting the environment. Therefore, after hearing the concerns from its residents and greater community members, the Corporation of Shepherdstown expresses its strong opposition to the Rockwool Plant that has been proposed to be built in Jefferson County. Heavy industry and all that it brings are in direct conflict with our vision, principles and comprehensive plan.

The Shepherdstown Community believes the Rockwool Plant is a present threat to the health, safety and welfare of our citizens, natural resources, and wildlife.

Finally, the Shepherdstown Community is committed to educating the public on the potential threat of the Rockwool Plant to our natural resources, air quality and public health. The Shepherdstown Town Council votes to support our community and Eastern Panhandle neighbors in opposing the Rockwool Plant.

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