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Comments on Docket #2020-P-A-0019 (Congo Funeral Home)

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I'm a 20 year Military Veteran. I moved back to Wilmington in 2015, to a somewhat toxic-free neighborhood, where I grew up. My health has changed some over the years and I'm dealing with a slight respiratory issue. I'm presently under doctor's care. With the combination of the Covid19 Pandemic, adding a crematorium that releases toxic chemical fumes; could negatively impact those with health issues, children and the elderly who reside in our neighborhood. I estimate that there are 4 or 5 Day Care facilities, Parkview Nursing Home, Cab Calloway High School and a few places which serve food; all within a one mile radius of Congo's. Don't get me wrong, I know Mr. Congo and some of his family. They took care of my parents when they passed. They have a great business. But my only wish at this junction, would be to respectfully ask for this building to not be placed in my neighborhood where it can negatively impact the residents, business, children and devalue our homes.