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I am very concerned about the potential for the release of hydrogen sulphide in the area around the dredging. So many Dubliners live so close to where you are proposing this dump to be. Similar emissions of hydrogen sulphide were reported in Cork and that operation was 10 times smaller than this proposal. Further to these potential emissions is the possibility of dredging up heavy metal deposits often found in shipping ports. Such deposits are often harmless when trapped in the sediment but could prove disastrous if disturbed and then redistributed into the coastal waters.

Yours sincerely,

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