Attn: Committee members

I wanted to voice my opinion against Island Annexation. I don't agree with the process. I feel that in this case it benefits one town and hurts another. One town has everything to gain and Riverton has everything to lose. I have farmed all my life. I believe God only made so much land. Why would we want to contaminate it on landfills or something that is unneeded. I believe in having the right to vote on these types of issues. In this case the people in either community had a voice. The landfill will pollute the air as well as bring many other germs and diseases. I have 3 grandchildren and two sons that live within a mile of the proposed site. They both built two beautiful homes in the area. If this annexation comes in their property values will take a huge beating. Most likely if the annexation occurs they as well as many others will move out of the state. I believe in Riverton and I am a proud resident. I am proud to say I am from Kansas. In this case I hope the right thing happens.

Say no to island annexation and yes to the voice of the people. I believe towns should be able to keep their land in tact and use it the way God intended. Thank you for your time and consideration. A proud resident of Kansas.

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