

# UNITE WITH COMMUNITIES

The biomass industry is wreaking havoc across the US South. Community members have had enough. Are you listening?

## EXPOSED



"What's very disheartening is that residents have a right to know when they've been exposed to high levels of toxins like this. They know that we're concerned about this. This was buried."

Katherine Egland, Gloster, Mississippi, USA

## PASSED OVER

"Any industry can come in and do as they wish. We don't really know how harmful it is until we're actually affected."

Shalonda Regan, Lumberton, North Carolina, USA

## CAN'T SLEEP

"You don't know what's coming out of the smokestack. I haven't had proper rest since they've been here."

Andrea Macklin, Garysburg, North Carolina, USA

## CAN'T BREATHE

"The truth is you got people around here that stay sick. You got people around here that has to use asthma pumps that didn't have respiratory problems before."

Carmella Wren-Causey, Gloster, Mississippi, USA



## QUALITY OF LIFE

"The older people have it the worst. They stay inside most of the time, and when they do come out, they struggle to breathe. They can't sit out in their yards like they used to."

Debra David, Hamlet, North Carolina, USA

## INCREASED FLOODS

"Sampson County is in the path of most storms. [Enviva is] reducing the ability of communities to protect themselves from flooding."

Sherri White-Williamson, Sampson Co., North Carolina, USA



## THERE'S STILL TIME. ACT NOW.

We need political leaders around the world to answer the challenge.