



Dunn County. Thanks.

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WE ARE DUNN COUNTY

What You Did

- Filled the room (over and over again).
- Took precious time away from planting and calving to make your opinions known.
- Made your elected officials listen, reminding them they serve the citizens of Dunn County.
- Raised over \$16,000.00.
- Challenged fire code with overwhelming attendance.
- Captured the attention of media across ND.
- Wrote over a dozen letters to the editor.
- Had articles about your efforts published in the Dunn County Herald, Bismarck Tribune, Williston Herald, Dickinson Press and other Forum Comm papers.
- Appeared on both Bismarck TV stations KFJR & KXMC.
- Mentioned on Prairie Public during "All Things Considered" and "Morning Edition" newsbreaks.

We want to tell you ...

how proud we are of all your hard work and commitment to our county. It's the best county in North Dakota, and in the past months, you demonstrated the importance of local control to our county commissioners and other elected officials throughout ND oil country. Through your efforts, and those of your friends and neighbors we were able to demonstrate what's best about Dunn County and what's best about North Dakota is not lost. **No one knows the land better than a farmer or a rancher.** As landowners, we have rights and when we work together our voice matters.



When we first brought our case to a Planning and Zoning meeting in early March, so many showed up, the meeting had to be delayed and moved down to the County Shop, and people stayed, and stayed late, because they cared.

- Derailed the Secure Energy landfill.
- Delayed and hopefully derailed the Green Group landfill.
- Involved over 300 citizens, landowners, and friends of Dunn County.
- Hired one of the top landowners' rights attorney in ND, Derrick Braaten.
- Asked the right questions.
- Researched federal, state, and county law.
- Hurt the eyes with bright orange tee shirts.

The 60% COMMITTEE

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It has all been pretty overwhelming. We've hit some setbacks along the way, but we've had some great success.

The power of the citizen you have demonstrated, in such a short time, is phenomenal, and we need you to keep working. Continue to hold your commissioners accountable for the words they say, their actions, and most importantly their votes. Our elected officials – from the State's Attorney, to the County Commission, to the State Capitol – need to remember **they were elected to represent us.**

But we're not done yet. We promise, to the best of our ability, to keep you informed as to the progress of our proposed ordinance before the Planning and Zoning Department and the County Board of Commissioners throughout the summer and fall. And if Green Group re-files their application for the "Houghton Landfill", we are ready. **We are Dunn County.**



A little bit about Dakota Resource Council ...

Dakota Resource Council (DRC) was formed in 1978 to protect ND land, air, water, and rural communities and agricultural economy.

The mission of DRC is to promote sustainable use of natural resources and family owned and operated agriculture by building enduring, democratic local groups that empower people to influence decision-making processes that affect their lives and communities.

Dakota Resource Council is holding their Annual Meeting in Killdeer on October 24th. Visit **www.drcinfo.org** for more information.

