

Garbage incineration issue crazy

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To the editor:

The entire issue with garbage incineration is crazy.

Why are we, the public, paying for something that is going to be operated by someone else? If another company is willing to run the place, they know that they can make money doing it.

So why can no one at the Region use the same slide rule and figure out how to make money? The business plan shows there will be no increase in the price of electricity in the next 25 years, which will be sold back to the grid. This affects the bottom line payback of the site. Wow, no increase foreseen. Just makes you wonder, what else do they think isn't going to happen?

Second, if a private company does take charge, who's to say where all the garbage is coming from? Large waste companies have many contracts and transfer stations. It is not a stretch to get garbage from other areas by just putting it into a certain transfer station, then taking it to a final destination, thus fulfilling what the contract states.

I don't want my money going to pay for another Hwy. 407 genius idea. We pay for it, we run it, we get the profits back -- and there will be profits.

Let's manage our waste, not waste the way we manage.

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