Duke Energy’s Asheville coal plant has a history of polluting our air and water. Now, they’re seeking a new permit to continue that dangerous legacy. Proposed limits on dangerous sulfur dioxide pollution are 80 times higher than the necessary limits to make sure EPA’s health protections for air quality are met.

Air pollution from sulfur dioxide triggers asthma attacks, airway constriction, and other respiratory problems. Exposure to this pollution for even five minutes can make it hard for a person to breathe, and can send people to the emergency room. It’s time to make sure all Asheville’s families and communities are given the right to breathe clean air.

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