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As industrial use of chemicals is rapidly changing and increasing, it is imperative that we pause and consider the regulations that need to be implemented to protect the agricultural production in our state and the residents living near these facilities.

The arsenic laced affluent from Teslas lithium operation has highlighted a disparity of oversight currently (Texas Tribune, USA, and other have reported on this and the response/lack of response from TCEQ has been deeply concerning).

Let's not just be a place known for industry, let's be a place known for industry done well.

I highly encourage you to check Good Jobs "Violation Tracker" for big tech - they've made it clear that they will not be regulating themselves. It is the responsibility of the state and its citizens to implement and uphold guard rails to protect the next generation of Texans.

<https://violationtracker.goodjobsfirst.org/>