



French Broad Paving has filed a permit application with the county to build an asphalt plant in the quarry at McCrary Stone, across from Stanley's, on Highway 25/70.

- Asphalt plants emit significant quantities of dangerous particulates and gases that are **hazardous to human health.**
- Children, the elderly, and those with impaired lungs are **very susceptible** to respiratory distress from asphalt plant emissions.
- The proposed location is **less than 1 mile** from the Early Childhood Development Center, Elderberry Nursing Home, Marshall Senior Center, Mashburn Medical Center, the Health Department, A-B Tech, many businesses and hundreds of households.
- According to OSHA, exposure to asphalt fumes can cause **headache, skin rash, sensitization, fatigue, reduced appetite, throat and eye irritation, cough, and skin cancer.**
- The proposed site is just **1700ft** from the French Broad River.

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