Workshop on "Siting Locally Unwanted Facilities: Problems and Conflict Resolution"

Siting and Community Response to Locally Unwanted Land Uses: An Overview

不受歡迎設施選址的探討

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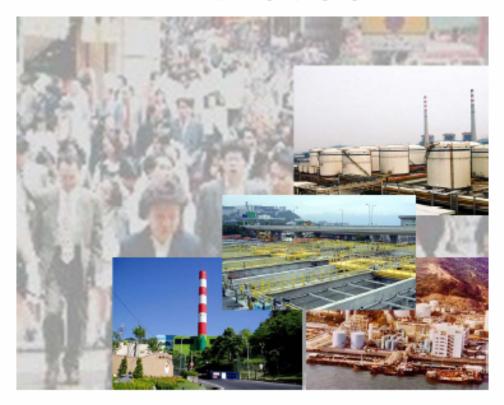
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LULUs and NIMBY

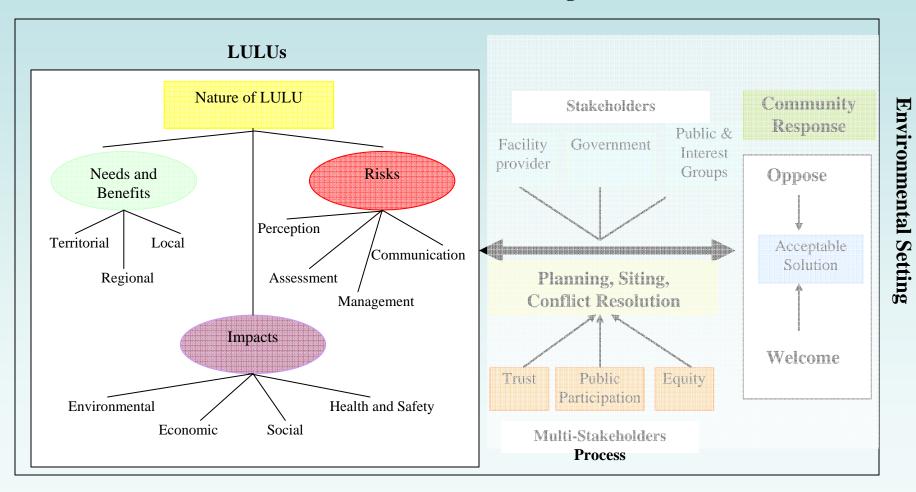
LULUs = Locally Unwanted Land Uses

 Objection by the local community => Not-In-My-Backyard (NIMBY)

Other related terms

- NOOS (not on our street)
- NIABY (not in anybody backyard)
- NOPE (not on planet earth)
- NIMTOO (not in my term of office)
- BANANA (Build Absolutely Nothing Anywhere Near Anyone)
- CAVE (citizens against virtually everything)

Political/Institutional Setting



Needs and Benefits

- Needs:
 - Establishing
 - Communication
 - Recognition
- Benefits
 - Scale
 - Distribution
- Established and justified in community perspective

Impacts

- Negative externalities
- Environmental
- Health and safety
- Social
- Economic

Impact Management

- Priority of consideration avoidance, minimization & mitigation
- Alternatives/ options

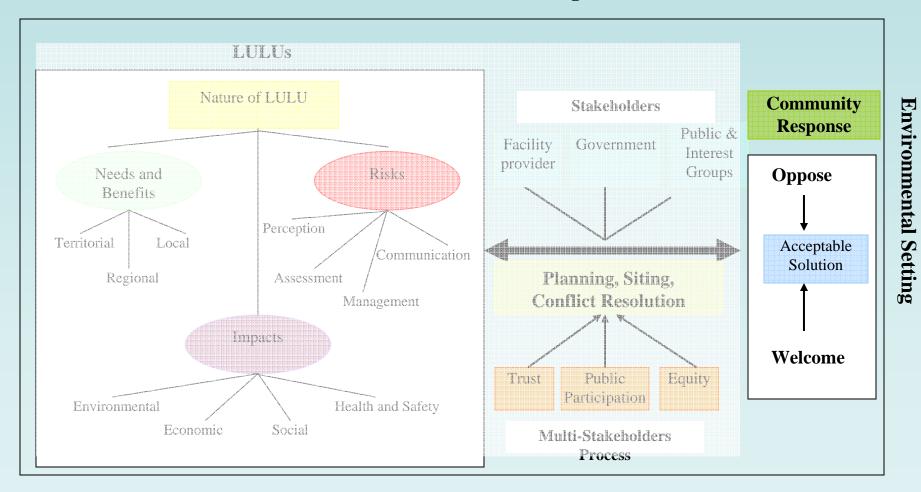
Impacts

- Impact Assessment
 - Credibility
 - Communication
 - Predictions and monitoring

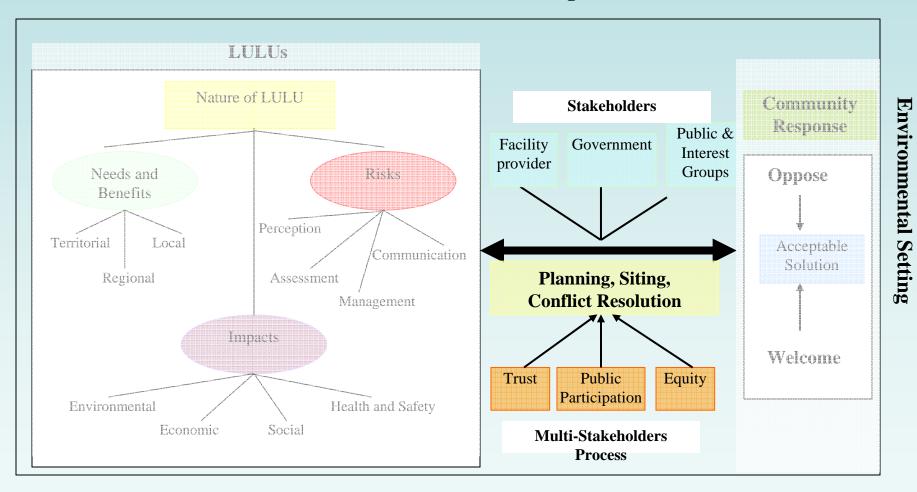
Risk

- Perception
- Assessment
- Management
- Communication

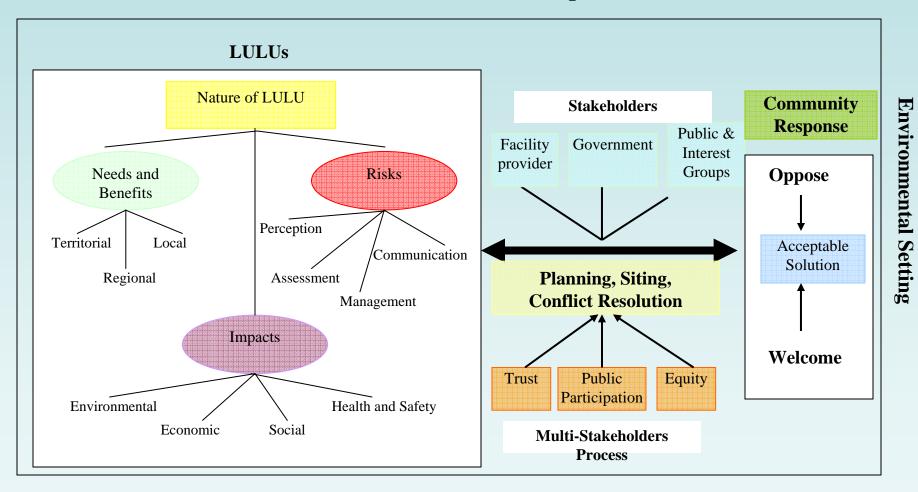
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Conflict Resolution: An Emerging Approach

- Understanding the perspectives of the objectors and the proponents
- Attempting to create a common understanding by merging the two separate horizons

Multi-stakeholders' Process

- Based on
 - Trust
 - Participation
 - Equity
- Search for a common ground and acceptable solution

External Settings

- External to these three core components are:
 - Environmental setting: sensitivity
 - Political & Institutional setting: administrative style
 - Geographic setting: isolation, interaction
 - Socio-economic
- Imposing constraints
- Offering opportunities?

Taiwan Experiences in Siting Solid Waste Incinerators

 Year 1990: Incineration as the primary method of treatment and landfill as a supplement

Peitou and Bali Refuse Incinerators

	Peitou Incinerator Plant	Bali Incinerator Plant
Location	Peitou, Taipei City	Bali, Taipei County
Total Area (ha)	10.61	3.5
Capacity (tons/day)	1800	1350
Stack Height (m)	150	150
Construction Cost (Billion TD\$)	7.4	5.3
Completion Date	1998	2001

Common Forms of Compensation (or Feedback) for Siting Incinerators in Taiwan

- Compensation before construction, during construction and/or during operation and include the following:
 - provision of community facilities (e.g., swimming pools, recreational sports centers)
 - beautification of the environment
 - exemption of garbage fee
 - funds for the elderly
 - scholarship for students
 - subsidy to community activities, etc.

Community Facilities Provided by Peitou Incinerator Plant



Revolving Restaurant

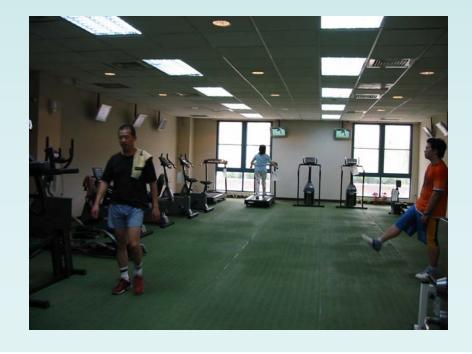
Observatory

Community Facilities Provided by Peitou Incinerator Plant



Warm Water Swimming Pool

Sports Center



Community Facilities Provided by Peitou Incinerator Plant



Study Room

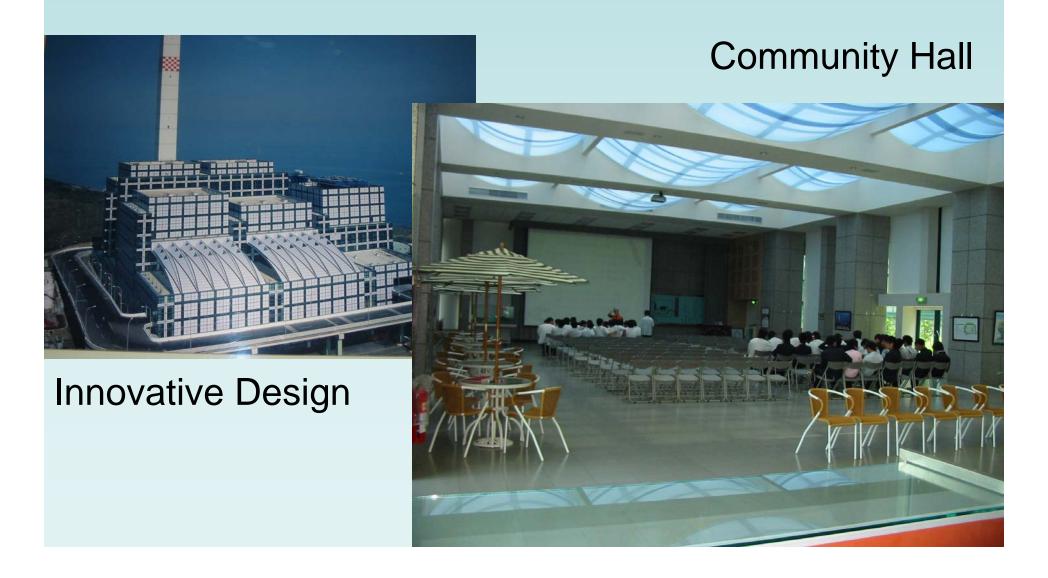
Kindergarten



Display of Air Quality Data at the Plant Entrance – Peitou Plant



Community Facilities Provided by Bali Plant



Special Displays in Bali Incinerator Plant



Display of banner

Save Rare Orchid

