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## **Lithium Battery Storage Facility in San Juan Capistrano**

I have lived on the border of San Juan Capistrano and San Clemente for more than 32 years. It is unconscionable to build a facility with such a high fire risk in this area that has been classified by the CA Fire Authority as a fire risk area. There are so many other options available in CA that could be suitable locations for this type of facility that are not near communities and would not have the potential for unimaginable consequences if a fire were to occur. I understand that with the move to "green" energy we have this environmental issue that needs to be addressed but as we have seen recently, the extreme potential danger these facilities pose requires "forward thinking" planning on how to deal with these batteries with the bare minimum risk to people, property, animals and the environment. San Juan Capistrano is absolutely NOT an acceptable location for this facility!

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