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Questions & Concerns on Compass Energy Storage Project

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We understand the need for additional energy for our area in the future, however, this energy cannot come at the expense of safety for our citizens. Unfortunately, we are unable to attend the meeting tomorrow. Many of us have additional questions that should be answered before a site this close to residential property should be considered.

1. Please advise what makes this location safer than others as there is mention that there are unique situations that make this site desirable for the storage of batteries?
2. Does OCFA support this site? What additional steps would need to be taken to handle a fire or earthquake emergency in this area? How would you ensure that risk would be limited and not threaten residential communities?
3. How long would this battery storage site last? What type of waste does it produce and how long do these batteries last? What is done with the batteries when they have to be replaced?
4. Shouldn't this money be used to make our current energy infrastructure safer? Couldn't this be used to bury current lines that can cause fire throughout our communities?

Unless these questions are answered, this type of storage project, so close to residential areas, should not be approved.

Thank you. We await your response.

We have included the City Manager of Laguna Niguel to ensure they are aware of our concerns. Currently, I don't believe they are supporting the storage site either.

Thank you.

Concerned homeowners in Laguna Niguel,
Kellie and Greg Aamodt

Erik Aamodt