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## **Prairie Song BESS**

The Prairie Song Reliability Project in Acton, California is located in a Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone. It will cover 70 acres in 2,035 battery enclosures and store 1,150 MILLION watts of energy in our community. Storing equal to 50% of that which is the capacity of Diablo Canyon and San Onofre Power Plants! This East Acton location is VERY prone to high winds and will be a great risk for devastating fires and endangering residents due to the use of Lithium Iron Phosphate batteries which are toxic when burning! The town of Acton relies on wells. This proposed BESS facility, along with others in the planning stages, are very close to our underground aqua-fir. Can you imagine what will happen when the runoff from fighting one of these battery systems catch fire? The town of Acton will be the next Hinkley! Not to mention the toxic smoke which will cover our town and drift into neighboring communities depending on the wind direction!!! there are a few other BESS projects in the Mojave desert where there is zero impact on houses, communities, or ground water. Have the developers place this BESS and all future BESS operations in a location of zero impact to neighbors and negligible ecological impact areas!

Along with, further affecting our fire insurance premiums and our ability to obtain insurance and devalue homes near the facility, making them difficult to sell and force many residents into selling their homes to the developer.

The Prairie Song Reliability Project will industrialize and change the character of our rural community. This project goes AGAINST the will of the Acton residents.