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## **No Lithium Ion Plant in Vacaville!**

As a long-term resident of Vacaville, I request that the proposed Corby Energy System Project be unconditionally denied based on the following:

Public health and safety will be endangered by this project both in the short and long term. I know firsthand that lithium ion batteries are very dangerous when overheated and ignite fires which are extremely difficult to extinguish. A small 3 x 3" lithium battery in a friend's garage ignited. Not only were his family's lives in jeopardy, those of first responders were on the line as well. Fire and toxic smoke damage forced the family to vacate their home creating economic hardship. Of course, they are worried about the long-term health effects from the exposure as well.

As we have seen, these fires are nigh on impossible to put out. Fighting them greatly strains water resources in a state which frequently borders on drought.

The toxins released from lithium ion battery fires pollute our air, water, and soil--and thus, by extension, our bodies.

No amount of energy storage can be worth public health.

I urge you to make the morally honorable decision and unconditionally deny this project.

Thank you.