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To Whom It May Concern:

The proposal for the new Calpine Corp. and Tierra Energy power plants are renovations to the city of Hayward that I completely refuse to accept. Much debate has spurred over the benefits of these power plants, and even promises have been made by these companies in an effort to comply with the Hayward city residents. Promises such as the aid to finance fireplaces and wooden stoves, but that are promises that carry no possibility of becoming a reality. However, more are the reversal affects these two power plants will bring to the Hayward area. First, pollution is an already existing problem that with great effort we as a community are trying to defeat, and which results will seem useless due to all the exhaust that will be created by these power plants. Eventually, they will interfere with existing structures in Hayward, for example the Hayward private executive airport on Hesperian blvd. A prospect location for one of the power plants is in close range to this airport where jets fly low, and the steamy exhaust from the plants can interact with the pilots surrounding visibility. Particularly, my major concern reflects on the hazardous consequences that two power plants may bring. For example, a small mistake may lead to explosions that have a possibility of creating a fire. This is why I am asking for further consideration in the building of these power plants.

Sincerely,



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