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## **Keep Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power plant OPEN and EXPAND nuclear power!**

HI, My legal name is Ernest Tang and I strongly believe CA needs more emissions free electricity. Nuclear energy time and time again has proven to be the safest type of energy per TWH. Shutting down Diablo Canyon nuclear power plan is a massive step in the wrong direction. Please reconsider your plans. We must move forward with carbon emissions free electricity as soon as possible, and this energy mix will include nuclear power. Historically, when a nuclear power plant is shut down, renewables usually don't replace the missing power, coal or other fossil fuels do!

In addition, tens of thousands of Americans die every year from Ambient air pollution, 4/10 Americans live in air that is unhealthy, a sizable fraction of air pollution deaths are linked to power generations. As such, the goal should be the phase out fossil fuels as soon as practical. Nuclear power is a very clean source of energy and can be part of the solution.

Unlike renewable energy. nuclear power is VERY reliable and does not depend on the whims of the weather to give us wind or sufficient sunlight.

Thank you,

I hope you will change the current plans to decommissioning Diablo Canyon by 2925 and instead, keep Diablo Canyon OPEN. California depends on clean energy!