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Help Stop New AES Redondo Power Plant

Dear Ms. Kelly,

I am opposed to a new power plant in Redondo Beach.

When first moving to Redondo Beach about 30 year ago, I lived near the existing plant. It is obnoxious and I soon moved into a house away from the plant. Aesthetics are reason enough, but economics and environmental reasons are more compelling. While we currently have a glut of natural gas, production of it can result in large emissions of methane that are worse than carbon dioxide. Also, natural gas wells have very rapid decline rates that result in very short life spans for such wells. Note, in California we are striving to move to renewable sources of energy, which directly conflicts with the concept of adding new power plants.

It seems folly to pursue energy production based upon fossil fuel instead of looking forward to renewable sources. Redondo Beach has the ability to install wave energy production along with solar and wind that will easily be much less expensive to install.

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