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Dear California Energy Commission,

Nuclear power is critically important if California is ever to phase out gas entirely. It's the only reliable (always-on) zero-carbon electricity source that can be scaled up to meet the increased demand as transportation and heating are electrified. Therefore I urge you to keep Diablo Canyon Power Plant running beyond 2025, and tell the legislature to reverse its ban on construction of new nuclear plants.

Dear Commissioner:

California has already pledged to generate all of its electricity through clean renewable energy by 2045. A quarter of California's greenhouse gas emissions are from homes and buildings, the majority of which come from onsite combustion of methane gas for heating. To meet its climate goals, the state must phase out the use of gas in our homes and buildings entirely.

California cannot afford to slow down its pace in transitioning from dirty methane gas to clean electricity in homes and buildings. Clean alternatives, such as nuclear, solar and wind, are ready and are California's best hope for avoiding more devastating climate impacts.

I strongly encourage the Energy Commission to stay on track with California's climate targets and work towards phasing out gas entirely and rapidly.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Michael Pelizzari

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