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Increase capacity at Orange County AES plant instead of new Redondo Beach facility

In advent of the Huntington Beach AES plant currently being re-designed, it would be more efficient and cost effective to increase the capacity at this facility instead of building a new AES plant in Redondo Beach. The proposed new AES plant in Redondo Beach is not compatible with the current improvements and development slated for the Redondo Beach pier and surrounding area. Air quality and hazardous material will still be a key issue and the proposed new plant is not compatible with the land use, tourism, and the usage of the Redondo Beach area by the film industry.

Our seniors, children and residents at large deserve positive development of parks, recreational areas and areas suited for tourism and film that generate positive revenue for hotels and restaurants. I don't see where AES officials have provided specific details regarding the benefit of their plant to the local community and strongly believe that the proposal of a new plant is too little, too late and not compatible with the future direction of our city.