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Keep Diablo Canyon Running

As an author and internationally active energy professional specializing in nuclear power, I urge you to do everything in your power to keep Diablo Canyon operating. Having raised my family in California and experienced the ups and downs of electricity reliability first hand, it seems utterly irresponsible to consider closing the states biggest producer of clean electricity that emits no greenhouse gases. This is especially true when the entire grid situation is getting more and more precarious due to the increase in unreliable wind and solar inputs. As for the argument that there is environmental degradation due to the cooling water system, that is entirely bogus since the gas-fired power plants nearby that will be running to try to compensate for the loss of Diablo Canyon's generating capacity will themselves use the same type of cooling system. If not for zealous and foolish anti-nuclear activists, Diablo Canyon would be rightly considered the crown jewel of California's climate change efforts. Don't listen to the nonsense arguments of the opponents of Diablo Canyon. Make the sensible decision and keep it operating to benefit everyone in California.