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Please stop efforts to keep Diablo Canyon open

Nuclear power is not needed to fight the climate crisis. In fact, keeping Diablo Canyon open would stall our efforts at addressing climate change with the deployment of additional renewable energy. With Diablo Canyon online, the development of renewables is discouraged, and in many cases impossible. The power plant itself is aging and in severe need of maintenance. It is also surrounded by earthquake faults that were not known about at the time of plant design, and which collectively raise the potential of a beyond-design-basis earthquake. This is not the situation one would want for a nuclear power plant one is considering extending the life of. Diablo Canyon is bad for climate, bad for security, and bad for the public. Please let it die in peace.