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Just like any newer and developing energy technology, the early days of battery energy storage deployments had a few fire-related incidents worldwide. However the industry has learned from those initial problems and have created standardized safety protocols that require these systems to have the necessary safety features as an integral part of their design. The benefits of these systems (resiliency, grid stability, harnessing of renewable power, cost control, grid security) overwhelmingly outweigh the ever-diminishing minor risks. If people's safety is truly the main concern here, then we would be better off trying to ban much more dangerous things like alcohol or cars that kill over 1million each year. It is foolish and ignorant to oppose this project.