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## **Oppose battery storage in San Juan Capistrano Ca**

I am concerned with the increased danger of storing lithium batteries so close to a densely populated residential area, not to mention right up against a hill covered in brush that backs up to homes. This will be a liability to all homeowners and business owners in the area. Fire insurance costs in CA have become prohibitive if not impossible to get in some cases. I am concerned whether we will be able to insure our homes with this increased liability in our neighborhood. This will most likely affect our home value as well.. I am certain there are more desirable locations (not in densely populated areas) for this kind of battery storage. We had an example just this weekend of the how toxic a fire involving these lithium batteries can be on a the I-15 near Baker. California needs to be smart and responsible in the way that they manage all kinds of fires in our state. CA citizens and their property should not be put in danger for the economic gain of others who hare not stakeholders in our community.