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Current plant should not be running during an AQMD fireplace alert

Good Morning. Since Dec 10th AES Redondo has been generating power from the old facility during an air alert called by the AQMD for excessive NOX pollution caused by consumer fireplaces. Why should this be allowed when since 2009 AES has been rated as #98 in the top 100 polluters in California on the California Watch list by Environment America's Research and Policy Centre ? NOX,pm2, and pm10s are still being generated in amounts that endanger young children,the elderly, and those with lung and immune system deficiencies.(per the EPA). During an air alert this plant should Not be allowed to generate these harmful pollutants. I urge you to take note of this blatant disregard for the public's safety during this time. In light of this behaviour and many others that have been cited by experts and the public,I continue to urge you to deny a license for RBEP.

Sincerely,

Melanie L Cohen long-time RB resident