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## **No to Puente Power Plant!**

I am absolutely opposed to the building of the Puente Power Plant in Oxnard, California, on the reasons stated below:

- 1) This is a textbook case of environmental racism that is an egregious example of how local communities bear the burden of dealing with the repercussions of development. The power industry, in this case, will be able to meet legal requirements but will effectively provide no mitigation or reduction of pollution in Oxnard.
- 2) California is already producing a SURPLUS of power that Californians are paying billions of dollars for. We do not need more power plants in California!
- 3) We should be using our collective resources toward alternative renewal energy that would reduce pollution. Going in the direction of this power plant only feeds the pocket of NRG.
- 4) Finally, we want jobs BUT in renewal, sustainable energy development, NOT toxic power plants.