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Reject the Puente Power Project

Dear Submit your public comment,

I very strongly urge you to reject the Puente Power Project.

This project would be damaging to California communities. The city of Oxnard already has some of the highest asthma rates in the state. We should be working to clean the air, not further endanger California communities with more pollution.

Additionally, this project is uneconomical and unnecessary. Puente would cost more than twice as much as it would cost to meet the same electricity needs with renewables. Clean energy solutions could create more good, local jobs in the Oxnard area for a fraction of the cost if only the decision had not already been made to appease fossil fuel industry greed instead of doing what's best for the people of Oxnard.

This is a project whose time has passed. Now more than ever, Californias leadership is essential to lead our nation toward a clean energy economy, and we aren't going to get there by building uneconomical projects that lock in more pollution and dependence on fossil fuels.

I urge you to reject the Puente Power Project.

Sincerely, Susan Hathaway