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## **Keep Diablo Canyon Power Plant Open**

The facts are plain. Nuclear energy is emission-free. Nuclear waste has not harmed a single person and has not impacted a single ecosystem since its inception in 1956. Civilian nuclear power plants have never harmed a single human being, with the exception of one incident the Soviet Union in 1986. Closing Diablo Canyon will remove a large source of emission-free power that is absolutely proven by historical data to be safe and sustainable.

The State of NY closed the Indian Point Energy Center in 2021 and though the state government promised that the IPEC energy would be replaced by clean energy, that power was actually replaced by natural gas, and emissions have skyrocketed in NY State. The exact same thing happened in California with the closure of San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station. The CA government said that SONGS power would be replaced by clean power, and it mostly has not been. Please do not repeat these reckless, irresponsible mistakes again with DCP.