

Docket Optical System - Comments about Mariposa energy project

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Subject: Comments about Mariposa energy project

Dear Sir/Madam,

My name is Kishor Bhatt and I am a Mountain House resident. I strongly oppose the Mariposa Energy Project due to the following violations it causes:

- * Mountain House gets no financial benefit but pollution
- * Mountain House Community Health impact is not sufficiently analyzed
- * Alameda County Measure D Initiative (Open space Land east of Alameda County) is violated
- * Outreach to Mountain on Mariposa power plant application inadequate
- * Williamson Act Contract does not allow Electrical Facility
- * Mariposa Power Plant is not a public need at the moment on the proposed site. Hence violates Policy 13 of Alameda County ECAP
- * Mariposa Power Plant is not a allowed permissible Infrastructure on proposed site
- * Applicant assumed there will be no-significant impact because of this power plant and fed it into the Mariposa EIR analysis (Environmental Impact Report) causing inconsistencies in its report.
- * Applicant wrongly used year 2000 Census data used for Environmental Justice Analysis consideration
- * California State is going against its own Renewable Energy Generation AB32 initiative to reduce GHG emissions
- * Power Plant causes big Environmental Justice issue because of pollution nuisance on Minority Population Mountain House Community
- * Alameda County clearly supporting this power plant for its financial benefits
- * Huge million dollar community benefit given to Alameda County by Mariposa LLC
- * No Need Analysis done for Power Generation
- * Mariposa inconsistent on Large Parcel Agriculture Land
- * No land restoration plan explained by applicant on proposed agricultural open space land site
- * Project in-compatible with Contra Costa Airport land use
- * Power Plant Plumes hazard to Byron Airport
- * Risk analysis on Gas pipeline safety insufficient
- * No project Alternative during analysis ignored
- * No consideration towards Innovative ways for Smarter Peaker Power Generation which throws zero pollution
- * Not enough outreach to Mountain House. No hearing was scheduled in Mountain House for socio-economics.

Please take the above violations into consideration, and stop the Mariposa Energy Project.

Thank you,
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