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RE: Oakley Generating Station – CA Energy Commission Approval

Dear Commissioners Boyd and Weisenmiller::

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I am also a member of a local community organization tasked with improving the quality of life for all of our residents, young and old. Many of our members are civic minded individuals with close ties to longtime residents and our small business community. Both groups have for years have yearned for major industry to locate in Oakley, to offset the tax burden currently placed on them. We have waited patiently, maybe too patiently, and now we have a very desirable project ready to break ground next year, we just need the help of CA regulatory agencies like yours. Please do not stop this project from entering our community.

I'm sure you're aware of the economic impact this project will have on Oakley is unprecedented: millions in sales tax revenue, millions in property tax revenue, a community grant program to support the local non-profit community, hundreds and hundreds of jobs, the ancillary jobs and income created for businesses and vendors servicing the plant. We don't have the luxury on passing up this type of revenue; there isn't another Oakley Generating Station.

Please vote in favor of the Oakley Generating Station.

Sincerely,

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