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To the attention of the Chair and Members of the Board of the  
RI Energy Facility Siting Board  
89 Jefferson Blvd  
Warwick, RI 02888

Ms. Margaret E. Curran  
Ms. Janet Coit  
Mr. Parag Agrawal

Dear Ladies and Gentleman,

After months of considering the pros-and-cons of the Clear River Energy Center (CREC) project, I concluded it is wrong for Rhode Island; therefore, I am opposed to building this fracked gas and diesel oil burning plant.

Among the many reasons NOT TO approve the CREC, are the health threats caused by environmental degradation – clear cutting of contiguous forests, loss of habitat, noise, increased truck traffic, likely gas leaks, and significant industrial consumption of water from RI primary water sources. Also, I am concerned this 1,000 MW power plant will challenge the goals of the Resilient RI Act and depress the renewable energy industry which Governor Raimondo, in March, proposed to increase tenfold by the end of 2020.

It is my understanding that the applicant has not supplied, in a timely manner, all information your require to allow advisory agencies and the public to participate in the process; this lack of transparency should have merited the dismissal of Invenergy plant application. I am questioning why the applicant was granted more time to "muster their forces" and assure a win.

Aside from those who stand to benefit financially from the construction of this power plant, residents in NW Rhode Island and in the rest of the State, several RI Cities and Town – and even communities in CT and MA – and I, do not want this fossil fuel burning power plant in our beautiful State.

I thank you in advance for your attention to my appeal.

Respectfully,  
*Loredana Pollonio-Lister*

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