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Dear Commissioners and Staff,

Having listened to three public hearings, it is clear many people have done much more of their homework than I have time to do at this point in my life. Suffice it to say, many of the concerns are sufficient to stop the power plant proposal, but one reigns over all of them: the time to build new fossil fuel infrastructure of any kind, virtually anywhere on earth, at this point in history is unconscionable. I won't begin to list the science behind this statement, as I trust more knowledgeable researchers than I have pointed you in the right direction.

In fact, we are far into overshoot on climate change and a moratorium should have been enacted long ago. This proposal is too much, too late.

The future of species are at stake, locally and worldwide. They are already falling victim to climate change at the rate of a Great Extinction. Social disruption of a scale never seen in history is already in motion: witness the drought underlying the chaos in Syria.

Please. Do the right thing.

Passionately,

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