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Subject: Fw: A letter I sent to government officials and friends

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From: "Mark" <sinar2000@aol.com>
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Subject: A letter I sent to government officials and friends

Concerning oil drilling in Husana Valley:

I am a concerned homeowner in Huasna Valley and a law abiding taxpaying citizen in your county. Please review the following comments and questions.

I attended 2 of your 5 meeting during the week of July 11, 2011 (not to mention a few in the past years) and I am very concerned in the direction in which this project is going. I wish I could have attended more. Right off the bat I felt that the county planning department does not have the best interest of its taxpaying residents in mind. It is hard to believe that my county would have a preference to foreign corporations over its own constituents as clearly shown during the Monday Meeting in Arroyo Grande, and no presence in at least the Thursday meeting in San Luis Obispo. You should be ashamed at your moral conduct on this very important, life changing and precedent setting goals.

Particularly at the Arroyo Grande meting, the way that your representative sat up in front of us all and just kicked his feet and laughed at the questions, basically laughing at us. We are not hayseed chewing hicks that you portray us to be. We are professionals, farmers and hard working laborers who deserve more out of our representatives and their high paid consultants.

We felt that the meetings were a joke...a dog and pony show, and did not answer our direct questions. Granted that some did not pertain to the "12 well project" but they surely pertained to the overall oil project in Huasna Valley and the county.

The DEIR submitted for review clearly shows uncorrectable negative impact to our community, local and large surrounding areas. Is it worth it to destroy our lives, kill livestock, contaminate our water supply for the fortune of a few people. (that is a question I want answered in your response)

Also it did not go unrecognized that the tax revenue magically went from \$100,000 to \$350,000 in two days. It is amazing how this number increased between Monday's meeting and Wednesday's. With a single stroke to PowerPoint

I am totally against the project because of noise, increased traffic, fire

potential, ground contamination, visual impact, loss of property values (loss of taxes), agricultural contamination, and loss of life, as we know it in the valley. I truly wish that we could put the project right next to your homes.

Two specific questions I have are:

Why are the mineral rights being bought up in the adjacent area? I believe 9000 acres most recently. I understand this is not part of the 12 well plan, but surely a piece of the long term plan. Please answer this question with respect to your constituents.

What will happen to the shipping of the oil when the Porter Ranch road is closed?

Please, do not give us the run around such as this is not part of the project, or that oil production will come to a stop. We all know that shutting down an oil field is not as simple as flipping a switch.

These are two very simple questions. Please answer these for me. Please no run arounds as you have done in the past.

Thank You

Mark Asmus

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