



**no oil trains! no Phillips 66 Rail Spur Project**

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**Please respond to Hal Ross**

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dear sir,

as per the edc and other reputable organizations such as Sierra Club and Center for Biological Diversity:

re: do not approve the [Phillips 66 Rail Spur Project](#).

If approved, this project would send thousands of potentially explosive oil trains right through our communities across the south central coast, threatening our safety, health, and environment.

On February 4th and 5th, the San Luis Obispo County Planning Commission will consider whether to approve this dangerous project ... we urge you to deny the permit and protect our local communities.

Phillips 66 has proposed to add a rail spur at its oil refinery in San Luis Obispo County that would transport up to five 80-car trains carrying crude oil through Ventura, Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo Counties each week, threatening our coastal environment and millions of Californians who live in the blast zone - the one-mile evacuation area in the event of an oil train derailment and fire. More than 10 million gallons of crude per week could be hauled along our coastline, threatening our communities. EDC and Sierra Club and Center for Biological Diversity and ForestEthics are working to stop this project and protect environmentally sensitive habitat, air and water quality, and the health and safety of our communities.

We need your support to stop the oil trains!

thank you, hal ross

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