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Subject: Opposition to the P66 Rail Project

Dear Mr. Murry, SLO County Planning Department:

Please consider the impact of the Phillips 66 proposal on the quality of life on the central coast.

Residential development of the Nipomo Mesa has been encouraged for several years. This is not consistent with adding noise, air pollution and the possibility of dangerous fires to what is currently a desirable place to live.

The impact of 520 ( 1.5 mile long) trains a year also impacts people throughout the county. Why send all of this crude oil to be processed by the California coast. Much effort has gone into preserving our coast and sea life. This project just doesn't make sense.

Also, we are busy promoting this area as a tourist destination. With this kind of industrial activity, I would not want to vacation here, much less live here.

Before it's too late, please consider the negative impact this expansion of Phillips 66 would have on our future.

Sincerely,

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Resident and native of California

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