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Sent:

Sunday, December 4, 2022 2:25 PM

To:

sbcob

Subject:

Support fossil-free new buildings for Santa Barbara County!

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Dear County of Santa Barbara,

I support taking climate action and making new buildings sustainable and carbon-free!

New all-electric buildings will improve people?s health by reducing toxic air pollution; combat climate change by reducing greenhouse gas emissions; and improve housing affordability by saving construction costs and lowering utility bills.

A study for the LA Dept of Water and Power finds that "all-electric new construction results in savings of \$130-\$540 per year relative to a gas-fueled home over the life of the equipment."

All-electric buildings are less expensive to build and less expensive and healthier to live in.

Thank you for maintaining Santa Barbara County's environmental leadership.

Sincerely,

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Sent:

Monday, December 5, 2022 8:58 AM

To:

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Hartmann, Joan; Supervisor Das Williams; Hart, Gregg

Subject:

D1 Funding for a County Farmworker Resource Center

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Dear Santa Barbara County Supervisors,

Please authorize the Santa Barbara County Public Health Department to apply for state grant funding to create a local Farmworker Resource Center. We owe an immense debt of gratitude to our farmworker community for their service as essential workers throughout the COVID-19 pandemic and their vital work every day to put food on our tables.

The Ventura County Farmworker Resource Program has been a successful model that has helped to improve working conditions for local farmworkers. The program provides an accessible place for farmworkers to receive assistance in navigating public agencies, receive information on wage and hour laws, health and safety laws, resolve workplace disputes and pursue other legal rights. This success has opened the opportunity for state grant funding to expand this program to three other California counties and we hope that Santa Barbara County can be one of them.

Thank you. kimberly rosa