

Lenzi, Chelsea

From: Pam Wall <ows.pam99@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, October 31, 2016 2:57 PM
To: Farr, Doreen; Wolf, Janet; SupervisorCarbajal; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Cc: sbcob
Subject: PCEC's appeal November 1, 2016

Dear Honorable Supervisors,

Please accept this request in response to the PCEC appeal as I am unable to attend the Board meeting November 1, 2016. I urge you to DENY PCEC's appeal, and support the Planning Commission's decision to protect our County from further damage from PCEC's oil seeps and spills.

1. PCEC's oil project is one of the dirtiest and riskiest oil operations in the County – last year PCEC was #1 in the County for oil spills.
2. PCEC's oil operations have resulted in 99 uncontrolled oil seeps and 24 oil spills! If the project or any alternative is approved by the Board, the seeps and oil spills will continue.
3. None of PCEC's "new information" presented at the last hearing avoids or significantly decreases the projects numerous Class I impacts to endangered species, habitat or water quality.
4. The project's uncertain benefits, like short-term construction jobs, do not come close to outweighing its significant impacts.

Thank you for your consideration of my request.
Sincerely,

Pamela Wall
Resident of Santa Barbara County

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From: Van Wingerden, Cam
Sent: Monday, October 31, 2016 4:03 PM
To: Allen, Michael (COB); Lenzi, Chelsea
Subject: FW: Orcutt Hill Project

From: Miyasato, Mona
Sent: Monday, October 31, 2016 4:01 PM
To: Van Wingerden, Cam; Carbajal, Salud; Wolf, Janet; Farr, Doreen; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Subject: RE: Orcutt Hill Project

Did Mike Allen or Chelsea also get this? For BOS items on the agenda, any item to the BOS must also go to the COB

From: Van Wingerden, Cam
Sent: Monday, October 31, 2016 11:34 AM
To: Carbajal, Salud; Wolf, Janet; Farr, Doreen; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Cc: Miyasato, Mona
Subject: FW: Orcutt Hill Project

Hello Supervisors,

Below is an email the CEO's office received that is addressed to the board.

Thank you,
Cam

From: Carol Gordon [<mailto:cluxgordon@gmail.com>]
Sent: Sunday, October 30, 2016 3:47 PM
To: County Executive Office
Subject: Orcutt Hill Project

Dear Board of Supervisors:

I respectfully request that you consider the extreme reasonableness of this carefully developed plan, for North County.

Please do not rubber-stamp it as wrong, in order to feel safe among the extreme environmental activists. It could well be time to show your measure of fairness, and stand up for this - for the sake of:

1. Jobs

2. Oil for our local uses - face the fact that electric cars for the whole population - let alone "no cars" - is obviously decades away.
3. Depriving certain oil providers in enemy countries from this "given."
4. Economic upswing, uplifting our spirits and bringing praise for your common sense right now - a real BOON to the County.

p.s. The activists will get over it!

Thank you ---- Carol Lux Gordon

10-30-16

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From: Brian Trautwein <btrautwein@environmentaldefensecenter.org>
Sent: Monday, October 31, 2016 4:15 PM
To: sbcob
Cc: Alicia Roessler; Linda Krop
Subject: EDC PowerPoint Presentation for Supervisors hearing on PCEC Appeal
Attachments: EDC PCEC BOS power point_DRAFT.pptx

Categories: Green Category

Dear Clerk of the Board,

As discussed by phone this afternoon, please find the attached 3-slide PowerPoint for EDC's presentation at the PCEC Appeal hearing tomorrow. Thank you for having it ready to go for agenda item #1.

We will bring hard copies and a thumb-drive as backups.

Thank you,

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From: Rose A. Coughlin <racough@pacbell.net>
Sent: Saturday, October 29, 2016 7:59 AM
To: sbcob; SupervisorCarbajal; Wolf, Janet; Farr, Doreen; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Subject: PCEC Orcutt Hill Oil Project - Deny Appeal

My comments revolve around PCEC's viability to prevent, and/or clean up, any pollution/contamination resulting from existing as well as proposed expansions of their operations in this old Unocal oil field. As an aside: The bankruptcy developments by Venoco in Goleta blocked the City of Goleta from acting on their plans. Mr. Breitenbach is already using bankruptcy in Breitburn Energy, see reference below.

Here is information from the PCEC as well as Breitburn Energy Partners websites - the connection is Randy Breitenbach. Also if you go to the email link for Jim Bray (Public & Government Affairs) you go to his email address at Breitburn.

From PCEC's website:

Randall H. Breitenbach

Randall H. Breitenbach co-founded PCEC and serves as Chief Executive Officer and Chairman of the Board of Directors. Randy also co-founded BreitBurn Energy Company and BreitBurn Energy Partners, serving as Co-Chief Executive from 1988 to 2012. He currently serves as Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors. Randy also served as Chairman of Stanford University's PIC Endowment and is currently a member of the Renewable Energy Investment Committee. Randy also serves as a Trustee and is currently Chairman of the Governance and Nominating Committee for Hotchkis and Wiley Funds, a mutual funds company.

Randy holds both a B.S and M.S. degree in Petroleum Engineering from Stanford University and an M.B.A. from Harvard Business School.

From Breitburn Energy's website:

Breitburn IPO

While Washburn and Breitenbach saw continued opportunities to expand, they also needed access to long-term capital to fund the company's growth. Because BEC's business model—generate predictable cash flow by acquiring and developing long-lived, low-decline oil and gas properties—was less risky than that of a traditional exploration and production company, Washburn and Breitenbach decided to take a portion of the company public as a master limited partnership. Breitburn Energy Partners LP (Breitburn) successfully completed its IPO in October 2006, listing as BBEP on the NASDAQ. Washburn and Breitenbach were named co-CEOs. In 2008, Breitburn acquired all of the interests previously owned by Provident.

In 2012, Randy Breitenbach retired as President of Breitburn and was appointed Vice-Chairman of Breitburn's Board of Directors. Hal Washburn continues to serve as CEO of Breitburn.

In November 2014, Breitburn completed the largest transaction in company history by acquiring QR Energy, LP.

Commodity prices began a prolonged slide, however, in 2014 which placed significant financial stress on the oil and gas industry. While Breitburn's long-lived, low-decline portfolio of diverse assets performed in line with its expectations, the lower-for-longer downturn in commodity prices made its existing debt burden unsustainable. As a result, on May 15, 2016, Breitburn (and its affiliates) filed voluntary petitions for relief under Chapter 11 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code to facilitate the restructuring of Breitburn's balance sheet. Click [here](#) to view our restructuring page.

BACKGROUND

On May 15, 2016, Breitburn Energy Partners LP and certain of its affiliates voluntarily filed petitions for relief under Chapter 11 of the U.S. Bankruptcy Code to facilitate the restructuring of its balance sheet.

Breitburn expects to continue its operations without interruption, and cash from its operations, cash on hand, and a \$75 million debtor-in-possession financing facility (DIP Financing Facility) will provide Breitburn with more than adequate liquidity to fund its operations during the restructuring process. Breitburn's DIP Financing Facility lenders have offered to arrange an additional \$75 million of DIP financing at Breitburn's request.

Hal Washburn, Chief Executive Officer, said, "During the restructuring process, we will continue managing our business and operating our assets as we do today. Cash from our operations, cash on hand, and cash available under the DIP Financing Facility will provide us with more than sufficient funds to operate our business during the restructuring process. We look forward to working with our service providers, suppliers, vendors, customers, and partners to ensure that Breitburn emerges from the restructuring process a stronger company."

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Lenzi, Chelsea

From: Julie Levy <julie.2cl@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, November 01, 2016 12:13 AM
To: Adam, Peter; sbcob
Subject: Deny PCEC's appeal and protect our County from oil seeps and spills

Dear Honorable Supervisors,

I urge you to DENY PCEC's appeal, and support the Planning Commission's decision to protect our County from further damage from PCEC's oil seeps and spills.

- 1. PCEC's oil project is one of the dirtiest and riskiest oil operations in the County – last year PCEC was #1 in the County for oil spills.*
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- 4. The project's uncertain benefits, like short-term construction jobs, do not come close to outweighing its significant impacts.*

Sincerely,

Julie Levy
1717 E College Ave, Lompoc CA 93436

"Flowers always make people better, happier, and more helpful; they are sunshine, food and medicine for the soul." -- Luther Burbank

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From: Anthony Allina <t.allina@me.com>
Sent: Tuesday, November 01, 2016 12:25 AM
To: SupervisorCarbajal; Wolf, Janet; Farr, Doreen; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve; sbcob
Subject: Re: Please Deny PCEC's Appeal

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> Dear Supervisor,
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> I urge you to deny PCEC's appeal, and support the Planning Commission's decision to protect our County from further damage from PCEC's oil seeps and spills.
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> Sincerely,
> Anthony Allina MD
> 1146 Nirvana Rd.
> Santa Barbara, CA 93101