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Hello, my name is margot davis and I am a resident of ventura ave in Ventura County. I am incredibly disappointed that the County has settled with the oil and gas industry

.] This is a step backward for our collective climate and public health goals. These trucking and flaring policies were meant to protect Ventura County residents, especially communities of color and low-income communities that are disproportionately impacted by oil and gas drilling. I am concerned that the Staff Report and CEQA Addendum downplay environmental impacts. Even one new well where the operator successfully proves a feasibility exemption will have negative impacts

.] The approval to pollute our communities should not be given lightly. I urge the County to explicitly require operators to submit written materials sufficient to prove any claims of infeasibility and endorse the limits on claims of economic infeasibility. It being “more expensive or less profitable” to comply with these important policies isn’t enough evidence – and we need the County to be responsible.

Sincerely, margot davis

Sent from my iPhone