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To whom it may concern,

The climate emergency is frighteningly real and it's hitting home. Ventura County has warmed up by 2.6 degrees Celsius since preindustrial times, making it the fastest-warming county in the Lower 48 states. Greenhouse gases produced from the combustion of fossil fuels such as oil and gas are largely responsible for this warming.

All oil and gas operations in Ventura County should be held to modern safety and environmental standards. We can't continue to expand oil operations under these outdated Conditional Use Permits. These permits were handed out decades ago, before our current understanding of the public health, safety, and climate impacts of oil production.

The oil companies don't want to play by the same land use rules that everyone else has to follow. We can't accept that any person or corporation has an unlimited right to expand in ways that pollute our land, air, water and climate.

All new drilling and expanded extraction should require a new permit and full compliance with current health, safety and environmental standards.

Thank you for helping to make that happen today.

Sincerely,
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