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Today the Ventura County Board of Supervisors will decide whether or not to update the oil permitting regulations to protect the health and safety of our land, air, and water - and our communities. The first responsibility of an elected official is to protect the health air, water and future of Ventura residents throughout the County. You need to listen to scientist facts that prove the harm that has been done over 60 years by the very lax oversight of permits for oil operation. Just remember the 2016 Ventura County Superior Court decision by Judge Glen Riser regarding these rules. Don't allow the oil and gas industry to control your vote when clearly voters want clean air and water that support healthy children. Remember the egregious campaigns of the tobacco industry to deceive the public and know that this is the model that oil and gas industry is using along with the same ad companies.. We already have one Supervisor who is bought by the oil industry at a cost of close to \$900,000 in the March Primary. Don't forget as an elected Supervisor you need to represent the whole County and not to just jump to the tune of oil and gas dollars although you have done so consistently since your election in 2016. Be brave and support the community this time.

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