

Vote NO on Russell City Plant.txt

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Sent: Saturday, September 12, 2009 12:33 PM  
To: Weyman Lee  
Subject: Vote "NO" on Russell Ci ty Plant

Dear Weyman Lee,

I am writing to express my opposition to the building of a 600 megawatt power plant on Depot Rd. and Cabot Blvd. in Hayward, CA. I am a resident of San Lorenzo as well as an instructor at Chabot College. I attended the public meetings at the San Lorenzo Homes Association when CalPine first presented this proposal to the community. I oppose it then and now. There are several reasons for this:

- a.. The plant would significantly destroy the already compromised air quality of the area. Over 60 tons of ammonia and 7 tons of formaldehyde (data is taken from Statement of Basis) would settle over a densely populated area.
- b.. It would be located on the edge of a wildlife refuge and Bay trail. This in itself appears to be an absurdity.
- c.. There has been no documentation provided that supports the need for the power that might be supplied by this plant.
- d.. The power that might be generated would not serve the people of Hayward or surrounding communities.

I urge that the Bay Area Air Quality Management District board vote NO on allowing the Russell City power plant to go forward. Thank you.

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