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To: Chris Beale

As a resident of the Desert for the last 15 years I am appalled at the degradition of my community. I am President of Bighorn Desert View Water Agency and very concerned about the desert water tables with the advent of Solar and the water usage they use in our area!

1. The DRECP draft needs to be redrafted to meet the concerns of the Drought in California. The needs of the Local Community and wild life don't seem to be a concern.

2. I don't feel that the DRECP or the government is taking in to account the roof top solar ie: the total KW adding to the total of the goal of zero net energy to be achieved.

3. We need a durable and enforceable, long-term protection of our wildlife and Human habitat.

4. We need landscape level planning, starting w/ local land use permits & county supervisors working the area as well as state representatives & decision makers.

5. Why was the Palm Springs windmill area excluded? Why can't we use re:powering of the currently planted windmills in the plan.

6. I want to protect sensitive lands & water producing areas - please see the attached noting my concerns.

Thank you

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Attachment 2. Places that require conservation in the Preferred Alternative of the DRECP

Active sand dunes
Avawatz Mountains (including "Bowling Alley")
Big Maria Mountains and surrounding flats
Bristol Lake (excluding mineral leasing and salt mining areas)
Cadiz Valley/Iron Mountains
Chuckwalla Bench
Coso Range area (including Olancha Dunes - not including OHV area)
Danby Lake
Desert Tortoise Natural Area (ACEC)
Eagle Mountain
Existing critical habitat
Joshua tree woodland habitat
Lower Centennial Flat
Lucerne Valley wildlife linkages
Malpais Mesa (including northwestern Talc City Hills, Santa Rosa flat & Conglomerate Mesa)
Microphyll woodlands
Morongo Basin wildlife linkages
Mule Mountains
Orocopia Mountains area
Palen Lake
Pinto Mountains area
Pisgah Valley (ACEC)
Red Mountain
Riparian areas
Riverside Mountains area
Rodman Mountains area (lands abutting existing Wilderness)
Rose Valley/McCloud Flat (area in DFA)
Sacramento Mountains
Silurian Valley (including BLM Special Analysis Area and additional acreage)
Slate Range
Soda Mountains – south slope
Sperry Hills/Kingston Range
Tehachapi Mountains and Southern Sierras – areas of conservation interest
Valley Mountain
Vidal
Wildlife Linkages
Whipple Mountains area