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Mr. Christopher Meyer
Project Manager
California Energy Commission
1516 9th Street
Sacramento, CA 95833

Re: Application for Certification for the Chula Vista Energy Upgrade Project;
Docket No. 07-AFC-4

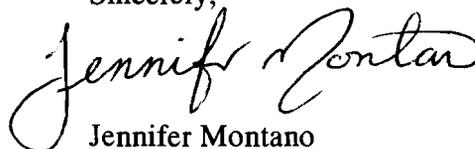
Dear Mr. Meyer:

I am writing in support of the Chula Vista Energy Upgrade Project being proposed by MMC Energy. With the demand for power in the San Diego region growing by approximately 125 MW per year we can't afford to pass this opportunity to increase generation capacity with more efficient power resources, particularly at peak periods. We hope that the CEC and ISO will recognize that in addition to Chula Vista doing its share to meet the growing need for power in the region that the additional 55 MW can contribute towards allowing the dirty South Bay Power Plant to be retired.

Our community has long been neglected because of the fears of a few who don't want change of any kind and have the time to fight every attempt at redevelopment. Please don't let them fool you into believing that they represent the majority population in Southwest Chula Vista. We are a hardworking community that supports a cleaner, more efficient and reliable facility that will keep our lights on; brings in new redevelopment dollars for community betterments; increase annual property taxes significantly and creates local short-term construction jobs.

I am encouraged that the Chula Vista Energy Upgrade Project will provide a stable source of energy when my community needs it most and urge the California Energy Commission to grant the MMC project a license to upgrade its facility at 3497 Main Street.

Sincerely,



Jennifer Montano