

**Docket Optical System - Carlsbad Power PLant expansion**

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Energy Commission members:

We are strongly opposed, as are most citizens of Carlsbad, to the addition of another power plant on the scarce and beautiful beach location in our city.

We live 1/2 mile north of the existing plant, and are constantly having to hose off the soot on our decks. We are also concerned about our health, which is threatened by the increase in particulate matter and other emissions to be emitted by the new addition. My wife already has a lung deficiency which we believe has been exacerbated by these emissions.

More importantly, we are opposed to the serious negative impact the new plant will have on the city's appearance, aesthetics and best use practices of scarce and valuable resources for our citizens. The present power plant, with its 400 ft. smoke stack, is an ugly legacy of the 50's. A new addition would make it an even worse eyesore for all the surrounding area. We can't believe the Coastal Commission would ever approve of this flagrant violation of coastal land use standards.

Sincerely,

Ed and Susan Carrigan

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