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Dear Council members,

We would like to make the following comments re the draft ordinance:

1) Council should amend the draft to amend the conditions under which an EIS should be required for fossil fuel projects, and to require that staff rigorously document their examination of those risks.

2) Council should amend the draft ordinance to eliminate the exemptions based on growth rate or population. They should also eliminate the 1% expansion threshold. Any process that expands fossil fuel production or storage should require a conditional use permit.

3) Council should make changes to the ordinance to make sure that renewable fuels are held to the same high standards as fossil fuels. Truly renewable fuels will be better able to meet those standards, and shouldn't fear a thoughtful review process.

Otherwise, there are many commendable

accomplishments in this draft as we move forward
toward a safer future.

Yours,
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