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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Secretary of the Commission Kimberly D. Bose 888 First Street NE, Washington, DC 20426

Re: Docket No. PL19-4-000

6/18/2019

Moina Mcmath-Walton 31800 Highway 20 Blodgett, OR, 97326-9710

Dear Secretary,

No new pipelines until ALL the old ones have been repaired, or best - removed. Plus all old drilling sites must be cleaned up too. (including and especially the off-shore sites. Then we will discuss new pipelines.

FERC must stop its business as usual approach to allowing self-dealing by fracked gas companies and their affiliates as a means of measuring <u>public</u> need. This self-dealing consists of a company effectively contracting to buy the gas from itself and claiming the contract as proof of public need. By accepting such "affiliate agreements", FERC is spurring the gross overbuilding of gas pipelines, driving up the rate of fracking and exacerbating the threat to public health and safety along the entire supply chain: from the wells that poison our air and drinking water to our rivers, streams, and shorelines eroding from runoff and accelerating climate change-induced sea level rise.

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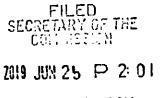
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6/18/2019

Ray Polito 9008 Meadowlawn Dr Brentwood, TN, 37027-5223

Dear Secretary,



RECULATORY COLLABOSION

I grew up near Pittsburgh, when the air and rivers (all 3 of them) were always dirty. Smoke billowing daily from the steel mills, molten iron ore slag being dumped into the Ohio River, and garbage being indiscreetly buried in vacant land. As much as things have improved, there is so much more that needs to be done to keep this country and the world inhabitable.

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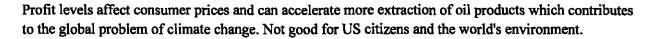
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Kathryn Pierro 7 Van Pelt Rd Califon, NJ, 07830-3103

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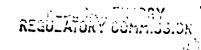
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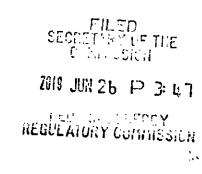


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Doug May 2521 Joy Rd Occidental, CA, 95465-9263

Dear Secretary,



Stop incentivizing cost overruns, and stop all expansions of our use of fossil fuels. Over 7 billion human lives are at stake, as well as the future of our civilization. don't sell us out for short-term profits for people who already have more money than they need. Act like you care about people, and the planet, more than you care about excessive profits for the already rich.

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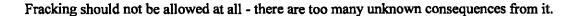
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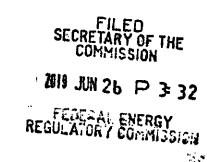


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