Tyshar Turner

From:

Webmaster

Sent:

Thursday, May 17, 2018 2:33 PM

To:

CityClerk

Subject:

City of Chula Vista: City Clerk Contact Us - Web Notification

A new entry to a form/survey has been submitted.

Form Name:

City Clerk

Date & Time:

05/17/2018 2:32 PM

Response #:

208 44843

Submitter ID: IP address:

172.24.96.110

Time to complete: 1 min., 45 sec.

1/2.24.30.110

Survey Details

Page 1

Please feel free to contact us with any comments or questions by filling out the form below.

First Name

Delia

Last Name

Ridge Creamer

Email Address

Comments

Dear Chula Vista City Council,

I am writing to request that you propose a resolution in opposition to offshore drilling and fracking. On January 4, 2018 the Trump administration proposed to vastly expand offshore drilling to lease areas off every U.S. coast, including leases in the Pacific for the first time in 30 years. At the same time, the government has proposed to rollback offshore drilling safety rules, and is attempting to revoke permanent Obama-era protections for sensitive Arctic and Atlantic waters.

Offshore drilling and fracking are dangerous, dirty practices that pollute our water and air, drench our beaches in oil, wreck our climate, and are fundamentally at odds with our coastal economy and way of life. They have no place in our ocean. That's why I'm asking you and the city of Chula Vista today to take a stand and proactively address this problem with a resolution.

Faced with an administration that's promised oil companies unrestricted access to oil and gas reserves under America's oceans, it's up to local communities to guard our coastline against dangerous offshore drilling and the worst impacts of climate change. It is my hope that Chula Vista will join over fifty cities and counties up and down the West coast standing up to Trump by passing a resolution calling for an end to new offshore drilling and fracking off the Pacific coast.

The waters off the California coast are internationally recognized as an incredibly diverse and biologically rich ecosystem. Numerous endangered and threatened marine species call these waters home, including the brown pelican, southern sea otter, southern steelhead, marbled murrelet and blue, gray, and humpback whales. These species are particularly vulnerable to the threats of offshore drilling and fracking.

Therefore I urge you to introduce and pass a resolution calling for 1) a ban on new offshore oil and gas drilling, fracking, and other well stimulation in federal and state waters off the Pacific coast, and 2) no new federal oil and gas leasing in all U.S. waters, including the Pacific. I can also send a sample resolution for your consideration. I look forward to discussing this

resolution with you and hope that you will sponsor it and introduce it to the Chula Vista city council.

Thank you for considering this request,

Delia Ridge Creamer

Oceans Intern Center for Biological Diversity

Thank you,

City of Chula Vista

This is an automated message generated by the Vision Content Management System™. Please do not reply directly to this email.