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I am writing you in hope of further illuminating the negative impact the SRP Santan Expansion will have on the immediate neighborhood. I reside on 2096 E. Arabian Dr. or roughly 200 meters from the plant. When I built my home almost 4 years ago I was never told that it was indeed a power plant. I was told that it was a substation. Nowhere in my subdivision report under nuisances was the SRP plant disclosed, that is fraud. I hope you will look to the rezoning/annexation that occurred shortly before building started in Finley Farms. Mr. Finley in exchange for the rezoning of his county rural land to the City of Gilbert R-2 to R-10, gave not only a free 10 acre parcel of land to the City of Gilbert as an elementary school site, but the tax base of over 1,000 homes. Not once did SRP or any of its representatives voice their concerns of homebuilding just across the street at any of the rezoning hearings. I think from Mr. Finley, the developers, SRP, and the City of Gilbert were all in collusion to benefit themselves and cost its investors dearly. If approved lawsuits will ensue. To avoid the embarrassment of a plain bad decision I hope all of you will vote no to SRP. As residents and homeowners we succeeded in removing the two Gilbert politicians and lead proponents of the expansion, Mayor Cynthia Dunham & Councilwoman Maggie . Cathey. All of you will lose any votes you ever won in Gilbert if you vote yes for this I promise you! Ask yourselves if it is just or fair? Ask yourselves if you would have 3 150ft. smokestacks towering over your backyard? Ask yourselves if you would allow such pollution for your elderly or your children? This plant does not belong in the middle of a residential neighborhood.

Respectfully,

Chad R. Hanna
Gilbert Resident

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RE: Docket No. L-00000B-00-0105
Case No. 105

Dear Commissioners:

You will shortly be considering the above referenced application by The Salt River Project to expand their existing generating capacity at their Santan facility.

As a Mayor of a growing West Valley community, I am concerned about our State's ability to provide reliable, affordable energy to rapidly growing communities. Given the recent power supply shortages in California coupled with the 49% increase in that State's electric rates, I am concerned about our State's energy future.

In order to ensure stable rates and a reliable supply of electricity, it is of the utmost importance that Arizona utility requests to expand and develop new generating capacity and enhance transmission line capabilities be strongly supported.

While I am sure that there are several considerations that must be taken into account when weighing the above referenced case, I ask that you give particular emphasis to the twin issues of reliability and affordability in making your final determination. In addition, I believe SRP's decision to surpass our own State's environmental requirements to that of the State of California's should be given additional weight.

Thank you for your consideration and service to our great State.

Sincerely,

John Keegan
Mayor
City of Peoria

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