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Dear Arizona Corporation
Commission:

We URGENTLY REQUEST
that you deny the SSVEC

permission to install a 69kV line in Sonoita/Elgin until further studies are completed to explore all possibilities regarding cost and the environment. SSVEC has not explored all viable alternatives and owes it to its customers and the environment to do so.

My husband, son and I own a house and land in Elgin and moved here because of the environment and the

protected landscape.

Building an expensive (\$13+M) project that will effect an already fragile landscape without exploring all alternatives is not only unconscionable, it violates the Comprehensive Plan.

We won a battle with a group when we lived in New York state against one of the two largest cement plants in the world because of the amount of coal it would be burning.

In an era of quickly evolving technologies, it would make enormous sense to move away from its use - not to add another system that relies on it.

Please help by slowing down the process . . . at least until an independent feasibility study can be conducted.

We're confident there is a better system for the environment and one that is less expensive than the one

proposed.

Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,
Molly Schaefer and Daniel
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