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Opposed to the construction of the Sunrise PowerLink.

My wife and I have been camping in the Anza Borrego State Park for the last 15 years or so. In that time we have really come to appreciate its' unique beauty and tranquility.

I strongly feel that SDG&E's Sunrise PowerLink is in direct conflict with the **mission**, the **vision** and the **values** of the California State Park System. Their mission is "To provide for the health, inspiration and the education of the people of California by helping to preserve the State's extraordinary biological diversity and protecting its' most valued natural and cultural resources....." SDG&E's answer to this is construct 160 ft metal towers through Anza Borrego State Park under the pretext that we need reliable power and this is the only way to get it. Not true.

What this comes down to is an inconsistency in the values between the utility companies and the people of California. This massive project puts the needs of Sempra/SDG&E before anyone who values beautiful open spaces and vistas.

Southern California continues to have real growing pains and every time you turn around it seems there is a new condo complex going up somewhere. We really need places in California where we feel we can get away from the hustle and reconnect with nature.

In conclusion I would like to say I support the findings of the draft Environmental Impact Report and hope the members of the commission follow this recommendation.

Thank You,

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