December 19, 2020

Mr. Rob Peterson, CPUC c/o Tom Engels Horizon Water and Environment, LLC 266 Grand Avenue, Suite 210 Oakland, CA 94610

## RE: Opposition to SE-PLR-2, Templeton - S. River Route Alternative

Dear Dr. Engels,

I own property in the Santa Ysabel Ranch development. I strongly oppose the South River Route Alternative for the following reasons:

I am concerned of the potential fire dangers caused by these transmission lines. South River Road is our only means of escape.

Putting transmission lines on or near a potential fault line is not good planning.

The electromagnetic field of the power lines create a detriment to health. Many of these lines are within 200 feet of homes. The recommended safety zone for humans is 800-1200 feet away from these high voltage lines.

These massive poles are flat out ugly and would ruin the beautiful country-side we cherish.

Our area is a wildlife migration path for golden eagles and bald eagles. There are several golden eagle nests in our neighborhood. These new lines increase the death of these cherished and protected birds by electrocution.

Let's do some forward thinking and put these power lines underground to avoid many of the impacts. Or better yet use battery or thermal storage.

Thank you for listening

Sincerely,



cc: County Supervisor John Peschong State Assemblyman Jordan Cunningham