



CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION (CPUC)

Scoping Comments

Proposed Jefferson-Martin 230 kV Transmission Line Project

Wednesday, January 29, 2003

Name*: Betty W. Jue

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Email:* I am a resident in the San Mateo Highlands I

am writing to oppose PG & E's currently proposed Jefferson-Martin
230KV Transmission Line Project for the following reasons.

1. Health issues from the EMF emissions. My husband is
retired, I would not ^{want} any risk of him getting any kind
of Cancer potentially from the increase EMF

My 12 year^{old} daughter is allergic to dust. If the project
is approved, I am concerned the air pollution
created by the project adversely affect her health.

2. The potential negative impact of the Project on our
property value

3. The noise and area pollution in general during the
construction period

As an alternative to the Project, I urge the CPUC to
first assess if there is a real need for that much more electricity
for San Francisco. Second: is there an alternative route other than the
one proposed. If deemed necessary, I would suggest PG & E move the power lines

west away from our houses, West of 280 freeway ideally. How about putting the power
lines under Canada road and Skyline Blvd.

Please either deposit this sheet at the sign-in table before you leave today, or fold, stamp, and mail. Insert additional sheets if needed. Comments must be received by February 27, 2003. Comments may also be faxed to the project hotline at (650) 240-1720 or emailed to jeffmartin@speneg.com.

Thank you for your consideration. Betty W. Jue 2/24/03.



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I AM VERY CONCERNED OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF THIS PROJECT TO MY COMMUNITY.

I URGE YOU (PGE) TO STRONGLY CONSIDER THE ALTERNATIVES PROPOSED BY THE 280 CONCERNED CITIZENS COALITION.

Thank you,

Perla C. Schmidt

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My main concern about the project is the potential danger to our health from increased EMF emissions. My wife suffers from multiple sclerosis and already has a compromised immune system. An additional 230KV tower within 100 feet of our home is the last thing we need.

I feel there is no demonstrated need for this project, but if it is determined that the project must proceed, then the route near populated areas should either be underground or on the west side of Interstate 280.

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Jefferson-Martin Transmission Project

From: Kay Blickley Schilling [kay@august-studios.com]
Sent: Thursday, February 27, 2003 6:23 PM
To: Jeffmartin@aspeneq.com
Subject: PG&E project in Hillsborough

Dear Members of the California PUC,

I am a resident of Hillsborough and am opposed to the proposed Jefferson Martin 230kV transmission project. My objections are as follows:

- This will have a very **negative impact on aesthetics and the quality of life** in our community. The bigger, wider towers and noisy current will certainly decrease the quality and attractiveness of our town.
- This will greatly affect the **town's property values and tax base**. According to real estate sources, the proposed project will certainly decrease property values significantly in areas adjacent to the project, thereby, lowering the property values and tax base of the entire town.
- I have concerns about the health issues from increased Electric and Magnetic Field (EMF) emissions close to our homes and schools. Too much about this issue is still unknown.

I support the Town of Hillsborough's efforts to have the proposed 230kV lines installed underground, and at the same time install the current 60kV lines underground, and/or evaluate whether this project is needed at all. Underground cables and proper shielding of the lines eliminates the above concerns.

I believe it is the CPUC's job is to protect the public and putting this proposed 400,000 watt transmission line so close to homes and schools certainly does not protect our community and citizens. In addition, there is an issue of fairness; the transmission project only serves the interests of San Francisco and PG&E, however, the residents of Hillsborough, San Mateo and Burlingame are suffering all the consequences.

Kay Blickley Schilling
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