

Public Comment - McGavin

Hi, Ben et al.

I forgot to include the following:

From <https://www.powermag.com/global-domination-china-accounts-for-nearly-all-new-coal-fired-power-plant-construction/>

"The report shows that China has placed more than 191 GW of new coal-fired generation into service over the past five years, or 64% of all new coal power projects that entered operation worldwide from 2019-2023. Chinese officials have said they will continue to build coal-fired power plants even as most of the world moves away from coal-supported generation.

"Separately and equally important India's coal consumption went up about 8% in 2023, again to offset [a lack of] hydro."

What **actual effect** will Co2 emissions policies that potentially reduces "some" Co2 emissions from a 42 square mile area in California have on total worldwide Co2 emissions? **Effectively zero.**

That is one good reason why the Climate Commission should not force unwanted changes onto Petalumans; **instead**, allow each person in Petaluma to **choose what they wish to do** for his/her own household, instead of making requirements.

>>> Paul G wrote on 2/14/24 10:11 AM:

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Dear Chair Peters et al.,

>>> BP SOLAR wrote on 2/14/24 8:39 AM:

Would you be able to help identify what you consider to be the highest priority- most cost effective items ?

Sure. The highest priority, most cost effective items are summarized below. Delete 11 items, change ten items, leave six item as is. Working from the original list that was discussed on Jan 8 2024, also see my more detailed **recommendations** that follow.

- **Change:** 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 13, 23
- **Delete:** 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 25
- **OK:** 16, 21, 22, 24, 26, 27

I am happy to discuss any of this further XXXXXXXXXXXX The Commission can focus on increasing energy efficiency of city operations and educate/encourage residents to make desired changes **without setting up expensive, unwieldy, requirements for Petaluma residents.**

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Regards,

Paul G