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I am a Native Californian from the Karuk tribe along the Klamath River and well into the Humboldt ancestral territory. The proposed oil and gas use of American wilderness is out of step with the 21st century.

- 1. We should be putting all available resources into going GREEN.
- 2. Instead, we are permanently destroying open space for the profit of few.
- 3. The disadvantages of this project far outweigh the advantages, thus benefit few and for a short time.
- 4. The roads will be made bigger and wider, the waters will be dirtied, the ecostat will be seriously disturbed and remain that way for decades. Mating and nesting will be disrupted. Many of our endangered species are not resilient and disappear with each encroachment.
- 5. Regardless of the promises to return the land to its natural pristine state, we know this will not happen.
- 6. Our water supply starts at the top of the ridge, accumulating from creek to creek. Our fish count has dropped to near zero in all rivers, creeks, and lakes because of logging and invasive land use. The hired hands will not and cannot be expected to guard these.

GO GREEN!!
Respectfully,
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