



Dear Pasadena community leader,

The Coalition for Clean Air (CCA) supports the goals of the Renewable Energy Accountability Project (REAP) and their launch of the **Pasadena End Coal Electricity Educational Project**.

CCA is committed to restoring clean, healthy air to all of California and strengthening the environmental movement by promoting broad-based community education and involvement, advocating responsible public policy and providing technical expertise.

According to a recent public opinion survey, 68 percent of Pasadena residents support their city moving away from coal-generated electricity. CCA endorses a citywide conversation about the harmful effects of coal-fired electricity.

A public dialogue on Pasadena's excessive reliance on coal-powered electricity—and its devastating effects on air quality and public health—is long overdue.

Through its municipally-owned utility, Pasadena Water and Power, Pasadena obtains 59 percent of its electricity by burning dirty coal; and the city retains a 4.4 percent ownership interest in the Intermountain Coal Plant, located in Millard County, Utah.

The time has come to move away from the devastating effects of dirty coal and advance Pasadena's green energy future.

As a resident of Pasadena, I have a personal stake in the greening of my city's electricity supply. I hope you can join me in engaging in this positive public discourse and consider supporting the Pasadena End Coal Electricity Educational Project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Alberto B. Mendoza". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping underline that extends to the right.

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