

## **Posting of Late-Filed Form Letter Comments**

Between approximately November 22, 2023 and June 10, 2024, DOE's Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management has received 6,613 similarly worded emails from individuals expressing their opposition to the pending application to export liquefied natural gas (LNG) filed by Venture Global CP2 LNG, LLC (CP2 LNG) on December 2, 2021, and subsequently supplemented (Docket No. 21-131-LNG). The public comment period for the application closed prior to the submission of these comments, on March 11, 2022.

DOE's review indicates that these opposition comments are largely form letters, with their language being similar, if not identical. DOE is attaching 10 of the comments received for representative purposes. For any questions about the comments received, please contact [fergas@hq.doe.gov](mailto:fergas@hq.doe.gov).

**From:** [REDACTED]  
**To:** [FECM Communications](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] FERC Docket CP22-22-000 & DOE FE Docket No. - 21-131-LNG Stop CP2 and all new LNG exports  
**Date:** Wednesday, November 22, 2023 10:58:20 AM

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DOE Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management,

Dear President Biden, FERC Commissioners, and Secretary Granholm,

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Sincerely,

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**Date:** Friday, December 15, 2023 12:50:45 AM

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On a larger scale, COP28, after nearly 30 years, has finally, finally stated the obvious: we must phase out fossil fuels. Climate Envoy John Kerry pushed hard to make this argument, but because of the past unresponsive and irresponsible actions of the United States, the American delegation was viewed with real skepticism. It would be the height of callous hypocrisy for the US to proceed with permitting the building of CP2 and the other 19 LNG export terminals after pushing for meaningful climate action at the COP.

If President Biden wants to get re-elected, he should show his serious commitment to the cause of climate change, burning fossil fuels, and reject future fossil fuel projects. The youth

vote is watching. We must have a livable planet and his decision will set the tone post-COP28 for the whole world.

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Sincerely,

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**Date:** Wednesday, November 29, 2023 9:52:36 PM

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DOE Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management,

Dear President Biden, FERC Commissioners, and Secretary Granholm,

We CANNOT continue to talk ourselves out of the urgent, maybe inconvenient, actions we NEED to take to save our world and the lives we love living in it.

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Sincerely,

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**Date:** Wednesday, November 29, 2023 9:37:56 PM

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Dear President Biden, FERC Commissioners, and Secretary Granholm,

PLEASE DO ALL YOU CAN TO DECREASE USE OF FOSSIL FUELS!!! PLEASE DO NOT SEND FOSSIL FUELS TO FOREIGN COUNTRIES!!! PLEASE DO NOT SUPPORT FRACKED GAS!!! OUR CLIMATE CRISIS DEMANDS THIS !!! MANY PEOPLE ARE DYING OR THEIR LIVES ARE DESTROYED BY INCREASED CO2!!! I write to urge the Department of Energy (DOE), FERC, and the Biden Administration to stop the CP2 project and all new LNG exports until you change your process for determining whether fracked gas, and LNG exports, are in the public interest.

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Sincerely,

Rita Heinz



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**Date:** Saturday, January 13, 2024 10:13:31 AM

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Sincerely,

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**Date:** Tuesday, January 23, 2024 6:20:39 PM

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Sincerely,

Kevin Morris

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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] FERC2129661872 CP22-22-000 & DOE FE Docket No. - 21-131-LNG Stop CP2 and all new LNG exports  
**Date:** Tuesday, December 19, 2023 7:54:28 AM

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DOE Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management,

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Sincerely,

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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] STOP CP2 and all new LNG exports--FERC Docket CP22-22-000 & DOE FE Docket No. - 21-131-LNG  
**Date:** Thursday, December 14, 2023 3:11:46 PM

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DOE Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management,

Dear President Biden, FERC Commissioners, and Secretary Granholm,

The science is VERY clear. We must move in bold new ways to completely extricate ourselves from fossil fuel reliance. We need global draw down NOW, not new opportunities for fracking, extraction and selling away our planetary future.

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Sincerely,

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**To:** [FECM Communications](#)  
**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Stop CP2 Project & LNG Exports  
**Date:** Thursday, December 14, 2023 4:16:09 PM

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**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] Stop OK of FERC & DOE Terminal & Export Applications  
**Date:** Tuesday, December 19, 2023 8:38:51 AM

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