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Dear Kyle Haustveit,

I am reaching out to express deep concern about the potential continuation of LNG exports through the proposed Mexico Pacific facility in the Gulf of California.

This region holds extraordinary ecological significance, sheltering critically endangered species such as the vaquita porpoise and serving as vital habitat for blue whales, sea turtles, and numerous marine life forms. Introducing large-scale industrial operations and increased shipping traffic could exacerbate the existing environmental stressors in this fragile ecosystem.

As renewable energy solutions offer cleaner, economically competitive pathways forward, projects dependent on fossil fuel infrastructure raise serious questions about long-term public interest and environmental stewardship. The decision before the Department of Energy carries profound consequences for biodiversity, local communities, and global climate commitments alike.

For these reasons, I ask that the Department carefully consider denying Mexico Pacific's export permit extension, prioritizing sustainable alternatives that protect both the Gulf's unique marine life and the well-being of future generations.

Thank you for your attention to this critical matter.

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