

## Comment Letter #37

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**Subject:** AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN

To whom it may concern,

RE: DRAFT 2022 AQMP

Are we living in China, Russia, North Korea, Cuba, Venezuela ? I thought not but it sure feels like it in California. Our Democratic majority here thinks they can wield power over the people of this state like a mean mother who is trying to force us to do something that in their opinion is what is good for us.

Our legislators in California are trying to ram clean energy down our throats even though this technology costs a lot more to purchase and use. Why is it that the AQMD, the California Air Resources Board, South Coast Air Quality Management District seem to have more power than the people they work for? Now we are to understand that our illustrious leaders are planning to forcefully make us change all of our existing appliances from natural gas and all of our cars to electricity. HAVE YOU SEEN THE CURRENT COST OF ELECTRICITY!!

Where has all the common sense disappeared? The people of California deserve better than what we are stuck with because some people keep voting in tyrannical and greedy political narcissists. We need real leadership that cares about California and works for everyone, not just Democrats and Progressives, but Conservatives as well. I am an angry resident who is fed up with fiscal mismanagement, forced taxes and blaming everything on climate change.

I demand accountability as I have a voice as to what happens here in my beloved state. I want to be very clear. I OPPOSE PROPOSED CONTROL MEASURES TO FORCE COMPLIANCE . I DO NOT SUPPORT THE MEASURES THAT ARE BEING PROPOSED WHICH MAKE IT A REQUIREMENT OR MANDATORY TO CHANGE OUT OUR GAS APPLIANCES FOR NEW AND EXISTING HOMES OR REPLACING A GASOLINE DRIVEN VEHICLE.

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