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To: Secretary, BPUBoard [BPU]

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Dear Secretary:

BPU must not approve any fossil fuel gas or RNG infrastructure projects other than those needed to ensure the safety of the <u>current</u> gas distribution systems until real plans are being implemented to meet the State's clean energy (100% by 2035) and carbon reduction (50% by 2030) goals for the many reasons and more laid out in <u>Empower NJ's comments</u> submitted as part of this proceeding.

It is my sincerest desire to eliminate fossil fuels as much as possible and as soon as possible. For that to happen new projects should be stopped and no plans for any should be apprved unless ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY for continued safety of current systems.

Most sincerely,

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