

## Comments on ABAG's Draft EIR

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I was disappointed to see that two critical, current issues not adequately covered in this report.

1. – Lack of adequate water resources to adequately support the needs of the current Bay Area population, let alone any future growth. Table 3.14.3 has already been proved to be inaccurate due to the current drought conditions and all of the various and severe conservation plans put into place around the Bay Area. There does not seem to be a reality that the area already cannot meet the water demand of the area on a consistent basis and there are not any realistic plans to increase supply, hence we need to be immediately reviewing plans to reduce or stop the increase in demand.
2. Inadequate consistent supply of electricity and adequate transmission capacity. With rolling brownouts in recent years and already notices of possible brownouts this year we have a major issue that needs a regional solution. With continued building and requirements of transition from gas-powered vehicles to electrical vehicles and gas appliances to electrical appliances, where is the supply going to come from? And more importantly, transmission capacity is causing the rolling brownouts – how will that be solved?

It seems that until these issues are resolved and we are able to increase the supply (and transmission) of water and electricity, that we have no other alternative but to stop growth or see continued denigration of the quality of life and our environment.

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