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Allen Fiksdal  
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Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council  
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Dear Mr. Fiksdal:

Subject: **REQUEST TO TERMINATE PMEC APPLICATION**

Reference: Pacific Mountain Energy Center, Application No. 2006-1

Energy Northwest submitted its application for site certification of the Pacific Mountain Energy Center (PMEC) on September 12, 2006. Over the last year Energy Northwest has diligently worked to convert the Pacific Mountain Energy Center into a 680 MW combined cycle natural gas project. Our efforts have determined that the financial and economic conditions do not support a project of this size.

In light of the current status of our project, Energy Northwest respectfully requests that the Council terminate the Pacific Mountain Energy Center application. We would appreciate action on this request at the Council's May 12, 2009 meeting.

If you have any questions, please contact Tom Krueger at 509.377.4761 or Ted Beatty at 509.372.5531.

Respectfully yours,

J.W. Baker, Vice President  
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