

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

"Natural" gas is just another greenhouse gas, and fracking causes innumerable environmental problems. It is not a "clean bridge" to energy independence!

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Sincerely,

Jerome Miller

2921 E 1st St

Duluth, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

A clean environment, using renewable energy sources, is critical for the health of all. I would like to see this goal met before 2050. Thank you.

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Sincerely,

Karen Bohaty

3509 45th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Action on climate mitigation is the most important issue on this PLANET. Minnesota needs to do its part and to set an example.

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Sincerely,

Bev Anderson

825 Summit Ave Apt 1101

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

All that needs saying has already been said. This is a climate crisis and our house (earth) is on fire.  
Passed the Time to keep the oil in the ground . Dammit!

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Sincerely,

Mickey Garza

317 Groveland Ave

Minneapolis, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

Allow the Mankato plant, fueled by gas from an environment damaging fracture process, to be retired as non-fossil sources of energy are being developed.

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Sincerely,

Charles Gallet

Duluth, MN

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any investment in fossil fuels or nat gas is not an investment in the planets future.

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Sincerely,

Chris Hernandez

10943 105th Ave N

Maple Grove, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

Any type of energy that damages the environment frightens me. I urge Xcel to continue looking at renewable energy sources.

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Sincerely,

Maureen M O'Connor

14637 Cobalt Dr

Rosemount, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As a current Science Teacher/Environmental Educator and a former Engineer, and an environmental/renewable energy advocate, I am wholeheartedly against Xcel Energy purchasing a natural gas plant in Mankato!!

Our state goal is to eliminate our dependence on fossil fuels and prepare for the Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency Revolutions (which have already started!!) So we must say NO to all new fossil fuel infrastructure in Minnesota!

Besides, the need for fossil fuels is decreasing and will continue to do so into the future. There is only about 100 years of economically available fossil fuels left in the world so we will have to switch to other energy sources sometime in the near future. Due to the damage caused by burning fossil fuels to the environment AND human health I strongly suggest we switch sooner then later!

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Sincerely,

Brad Snyder

8887 Dallas Lane N.

Maple Grove, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As a customer I expect Xcel to be transparent and up front about their clean energy goals and promises. Please consider this.

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Sincerely,

Kin Nowicki

5617 Lakeland Rd

Minnetonka, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As a major producer of energy, we need Xcel to step up and move away from fossil fuels.

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Sincerely,

Bobbie Fredsall

3318 Belden Dr NE

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As a Minnesotan, I value our natural resources. As an investor, I will not continue to support these decisions that have a perilous impact on the health and well-being of our state and people. Be better. Think broadly. We need clean energy.

Sincerely, Dr. Blue

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Sincerely,

BRADLEY BLUE

18999 180TH AVENUE NW, BIG LAKE

MN, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As a person who grew up in Mankato, I am utterly horrified at what this plant could mean. Let's begin to wean ourselves from fossil fuel before it's too late.

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Sincerely,

Ellen Sanford

529 N 12 1/2 Ave E

Duluth, MN

3/8/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As a resident of Mankato, I do not want a plant like this anywhere near my city.

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Sincerely,

Mike Ferguson

104 Thomas Dr Apt 307

Mankato, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As an Excel customer, I support renewable energy and would even pay more for energy sourced from renewable sources. Please reject this proposal!

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Sincerely,

Nate Scheibe

224 3rd St W

Wabasha, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As an Excel rate payer, I oppose the purchase of this fracked gas plant. We have Excel's commitment to be 100% clean energy before the lifetime of the plant. Just buy the power, don't buy the plant!

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Sincerely,

Bryan Wyberg

2458 Farrington Cir

Roseville, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

As an Xcel customer, I say no to fracked gas.

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Sincerely,

Annette Digre

2033 Worcester Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

At this stage, investing in nonrenewable sources is simply a poor investment and a waste of money. Move forward with your thinking to help reach the state's renewable energy goals, not slow it down.

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Sincerely,

Kevin Stueven

11 McKinley Pl N

Saint Cloud, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Both the governor and Xcel energy have committed to carbon neutrality. Please review this proposal with the understanding that that must be our top energy priority. Take a long-term perspective, stand up, and be a leader

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Sincerely,

Michael Greif

410 6th Street SE

Minneapolis, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

Climate change is fast becoming an emergency situation. Please be on the right side of history.

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Sincerely,

James Kalb

3671 Pine Hollow Pl

Stillwater, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Climate change is one of the most important issues of our time. We need to do something about it now!

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Sincerely,

Valerie Eastland

13570 Hershey Ct

Apple Valley, MN

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Climate change threatens us all, please deny this request.

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Sincerely,

John Gabbert

509 W Broadway St

Winona, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

Come on! -- Trump is already removing all protections -- let's not follow suit in MN!!

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Sincerely,

Faith Jaspersen

1406 James Ave.

SAINT PAUL, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Continuing to invest in fossil fuel-based energy is antithetical to addressing the climate crisis. The future of the planet depends on us converting to carbon-neutral, renewable sources to meet our energy needs. We need to invest in infrastructure that supports these new solutions, not continue to throw money at a dying industry that will take us all down with it. Reject Xcel's proposal and urge them to invest in clean renewable energy instead!

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Sincerely,

Brenna Doheny

46378 Government Rd

Hinckley, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

Don't waste time on a fracking plant. It is time to move ahead with solar and wind.

Johanna Lester

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Johanna Lester

1781 Ford Pkwy

Saint Paul, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

Encouraging fracking anywhere is an extremely bad idea.

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Sincerely,

Jay Roth

5725 Squire Ln

Mounds View, MN

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Sincerely,

Meg Lee

22210 Jasmine Way

Rogers, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

Environment protection is my top concern, & I support a total transition to clean energy.

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Erika Rae

443 Ashland Ave Apt 114

Saint Paul, MN

3/10/2019

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Especially with the promise of increasingly efficient wind energy as a plentiful renewable resource here in Minnesota, it is both unnecessary and dangerous to allow Xcel to buy this gas plant and thereby continue to invest in fossil fuels. Climate change is an emergency of global proportions, and those like me who are in our 30s and younger realize how devastating the effects of climate change could be within our and our children's lifetimes. It is past time to take concrete action in the direction of serious environmental progress.

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Sincerely,

Carissa Lick

1111 8th St N

Saint James, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Every individual, every company and every public agency needs to act with urgency to protect the future of the planet for our children and grandchildren. MN has multiple clean energy options and doesn't need to resort to regressive fracked gas and other fossil fuels. Get a grip on reality, people.

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Sincerely,

Kathleen Selz

220 Northland Ave

Stillwater, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

For every barrel of fracked gas, there are 4 barrels of toxic water. I urge you to look at the problem Texas is having with the water from fracked natural gas. Thank you.

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Sincerely,

Deb Trent

15015 Taylor St NE

Ham Lake, MN

3/9/2019

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Sincerely,

Thomas Wahl

2900 Abbey Plz

Collegeville, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

For the sake of precious, finite pure ground water supplies, reject fracking as a sustainable means of energy production. Water cannot be manufactured or produced. Using it and contaminating it through fracking is a sin against nature.

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Sincerely,

Mary Dahl

1220 Memorial Dr

Crookston, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

Susu Jeffrey

1063 Antoinette Ave

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fossil fuels are of the past and clean energy is the future, as Xcel has already confirmed with many of its programs and leadership in the field. Please consider the cost concerns of current ratepayers and the environmental needs of future generations and deny Xcel's request.

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Sincerely,

Paula Bidle

3849 17th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracked gas is not the way to go for clean energy and a livable world for my two children. I am a customer of Xcel and a solar company that works with Xcel called CleanChoice Energy. Now that's the way to look to the future.

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Sincerely,

Matthew Smith  
432 Newton Ave S  
Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracking also contributes to instability in the structure of the Earth leading to shifts in the ground (earthquakes and tremors) and additional flood concerns. Take a lesson from Oklahoma.

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Sincerely,

Nyla Copp

5737 Bryant Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracking also endangers our ground water supply!

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Sincerely,

Stephanie Schleuder

, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracking also poisons the surrounding land and water. That has far reaching repercussions to biomes including all life within including humans. Please stop fracking!

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Sincerely,

Krista Kulas

14948 Dufferin Ct

Savage, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracking destroys water. Minnesota is a land of water and it is incumbent on us to protect it. Continuing the insanity with drilling and utilizing the precious resource of water to eek every last drop of oil out is absurd. We need water to drink, grow crops and sustain life, not oil. We need renewable, clean energy...NOW

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Sincerely,

Gabriel Curell

8362 Tamarack Vlg Ste 119-364

Woodbury, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracking has proven to be a huge risk to our water and air. Use this time to invest in safer, more sustainable energy. Minnesota is rapidly becoming at risk of lasting damage from poor energy choices. Do what is right not what is easiest.

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Sincerely,

Beth Hansen

26813 Scenic Byway Road

Belle Plaine, MN

3/14/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracking is an extreme, dangerous, and highly polluting process that should be avoided at all costs!

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Sincerely,

Daniel Eller

2286 Bronson Dr

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

Tara Mcnaughton

4315 Cedar Ave S Apt A

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracking is the wrong way to go. Continue to invest in renewable energy. I am a 100% windsource customer.

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Sincerely,

Kay Drache

3067 Zarthan Ave S

Saint Louis Park, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Fracking would negate some of the gains Xcel has made.

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Sincerely,

R A Fuller

976 Winterberry Dr

Woodbury, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

From my limited perspective, it seems to be a question of doing what is obviously the right thing and the greater good, or appeasing Xcel. With Xcel being a such a big player, I don't imagine it's easy to do the right thing in this scenario. That said, I hope you will let the greater good guide your decision. Thanks, Matt

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Sincerely,

Matt Klinkhammer

4610 Arrowood Ln N

Plymouth, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Getting off carbon fuels is a noble, stout-hearted and generous goal. Using fracked gas is wienie. Please hold Xcel to its 2050 promise. Thank you.

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Sincerely,

Peggy Endres

943 Wilder St S

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Go for the GOAL-renewable by 2050, do not buy another boat anchor holding you and my grandparents away from the GOAL for years to come!!!

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Sincerely,

David Hegdahl

6181 Woodchuck Cir

White Bear Lake, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Having relatives who live in OK who have suffered directly from the outcomes and effects of fracking, plus the damage to and pollution of ground water that potentially, and likely, results, MN ought to do everything in its power to avoid processes and fuel (fossil) use that directly causes environmental damage and degradation.

Absolutely say "NO" to use of fossil fuels and the fracking process. Do the right thing - spend all your money on clean energy production.

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Sincerely,

Janis Hollenbeck

51 Avon Street South, Condo #22

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Having traveled in China and Mexico and seeing first hand what dirty energy does to the environment, please deny Xcel this investment.

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Sincerely,

Pam Albin

Saint Paul, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

How does this work towards Xcel becoming 100% carbon free by 2050? We must start using other sources for our energy needs. We only have this one planet.

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Sincerely,

Assata Brown

1659 Sheridan Ave N

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I am a long-time stockholder -- and I would rather pay a little more up-front to move this renewable energy forward faster. Thank you.

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Sincerely,

Ruth Jones

2950 Dean Pkwy Apt 1504

Minneapolis, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I am appalled at the environmental damage that fracking causes. Fracking is an issue about which I am passionate. It is a terrible environmental practice which pollutes our planet further than simply burning fossil fuels. Fracking is an environmental nightmare. Please do not permit any fracking in Minnesota.

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Sincerely,

Donna Seabloom

18829 Waco St NW

Elk River, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I am concerned about how our children's future will be impacted.

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Sincerely,

Birdie Carter

1957 Larpenteur Ave W

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I am frightened of what climate change is doing to Wildlife and ecosystems, not to mention when the shoe will drop in my neighborhood with a killer storm, tornado or prolonged drought. The time to advance fossil free energy is NOW.

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Sincerely,

Catherine Zimmer

1790 Hague Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I currently pay higher rates to Xcel, so that 100 percent of my home's electricity is from wind sources. Why should I pay even more so Xcel can purchase dirty energy? And given Gov. Walz's plans for moving Minnesota to renewables, this purchase would be a big step in the wrong direction.

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Sincerely,

Teresa Manzella  
1741 Atlantic St  
Maplewood, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I currently pay Xcel an extra monthly fee for renewable energy. If Xcel has money to buy a gas plant, they should partner with the University of Minnesota to develop better energy storage solutions.

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Sincerely,

Tim Bardell

2333 Parkwoods Rd

Saint Louis Park, MN

3/9/2019

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I do NOT want is to endanger Minnesota's natural resources, land, water

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Sincerely,

Rachel Holtzer

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I have family member touring Europe at this time and they are thoroughly overwhelmed by the steps the European Union has taken in terms of wind and solar energy. According to them, in comparison we look ridiculous!

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Sincerely,

Joan McGonigal

8522 Inverness Ln N

Brooklyn Park, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I have three grandchildren and I want the to have a healthy earth to live on. We must do everything we can to make this happens. Please reject Xcel?s request!

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Sincerely,

Judy Gregg

21280 Minnetonka Blvd

Excelsior, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I just changed my Xcel account to total solar energy and now you want to find more fossil fuels to destroy our world? Xcel, Minnesotans don't want you to use fossil fuels, especially FRACKING!

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Sincerely,

Connie Lacher

12325 County Road 51 #B1

St Joseph, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I just started my Xcel account on

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Sincerely,

Fatimah Ramadan

3409 34th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I left W. Pa. with my family for life in MN as of 2010. We didn't feel W. Pa. would remain a sustainable place for our family or future. The water there is being polluted beyond all measure by gas fracking. Don't buy into bad policy, bad economics, bad environmentalism, and bad behavior in MN by utilizing fracked gas. It's a dead end.

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Sincerely,

Anna Loney

308 Elmwood St E

Lanesboro, MN

3/9/2019

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I live in Minnesota and do NOT want us to endanger the health of our state any further than

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Sincerely,

E Holtzer

5136 Nicollet Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I pay a bit extra already for Arcadia Power, doing what I can to reduce Minnesota's dependence on fossil fuels. Fracking has horrible effects on the environment, causing water pollution and even earthquakes in addition to the methane emissions that come with it. This state has a commitment to move toward clean energy; let's put consumers' money into new, cleaner technology and new, growing industries which will not only protect us and our kids, but generate jobs that won't just go away in a few years.

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Sincerely,

Tracie Thompson

795 6th St E Apt 308

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I signed up for renewconnect and so did our HOA to help xcel and to do our part to accelerate renewable energy. I have given xcel positive press in my circle of influence. I Also grew up in the Mankato area and would be disappointed if clean energy was Not the priority in xcel's next investment.

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Sincerely,

Brenda Savage

181 Elm St

Saint Paul, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I took pride as a Minnesotan that our state was free of fracked energy facilities. Let us not sully Minnesota's reputation as a clean-energy state.

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Sincerely,

Stan Sattinger

3933 12th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I truly applaud your efforts to go to 100% carbon free power, but wind and solar seem to be more environmentally healthy than nuclear. And this gas plant doesn't help with the effort.

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Sincerely,

Johnna Hyde

Unknown

Ely, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I want my children to grow old in a livable world--climate change is proving a rapidly increasing danger to that.

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Sincerely,

Melanie Danke

4420 17th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/12/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I want my children to have a safe environment to live in and their children too

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Sincerely,

Kristen Anthony

442 E Chapman

Ely, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I want to see Minnesota be run on 100% renewable resources. The earth is dying, and fracking is one of the reasons why. I am an Xcel Energy customer and I do not want to see this plant be purchased. If it is, then I will have to take my business elsewhere.

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Sincerely,

Rachel Gasser

1015 University Ave SE, Apt 101

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

If we don't change our ways, in a few short years our planet will be uninhabitable. This is not a scare tactic; we have been warned decades ago and we ignored the facts.

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Sincerely,

Jo-Ann Sramek

4882 Woodridge Dr

Hermantown, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

If you have children or grand kids, please act ethically on their behalf. Thank you! Dagmar Romano

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Sincerely,

Dagmar Romano

1840 Goodrich Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

It is critical that we move away from fossil fuels. Investing 100s of millions in energy projects like this one make no sense. We need bold, timely action to address climate change. This is an important issue!

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Sincerely,

David Freeman

2059 The Grade Rd

Lutsen, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

It is so important that Minnesota leads the way to clean energy! Let's be a leader in the green movement!

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Sincerely,

Aubre Suttle

5177 Yuma Ln N

Minneapolis, MN

3/12/2019

Dear Commissioners,

It is time to encourage utilities to listen to the voice of scientists and citizens calling for clean, renewable energy. Xcel is not demonstrating a commitment to change called for by Minnesota's commitment to clean energy production. The Public Utilities Commission is charged to work for the citizens of the state so please listen to the public's demand for change and new technology.

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Sincerely,

Jennifer Lipke

12016 Corey Tracts Rd

Hibbing, MN

3/12/2019

Dear Commissioners,

It is time to move to renewable, clean energy sources. Fracking is a horrible waste of water and destroys the area that it is being done. I don't want my water contaminated from fracking.

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Sincerely,

Erin Enger

5941 Wisconsin Cir N

New Hope, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

It takes more than individuals to change the impact of climate change. We need the power providers to be proactive on a big scale to change the way we meet our energy needs.

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Sincerely,

Marianne Dietzel

2954 Hamline Ave N

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

It's overdue for us to go 100% green in Minnesota!

For our health - and that of our children and grandchildren - we need to get off of fossil fuels ASAP.

And, as science knows and has proven, climate change is real and we must go green as soon as we possibly can to help reverse its changes.

So - please say "NO" to a new Excel Energy gas plant.

Thanks! From ourselves and our planet.

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Sincerely,

Jerry P.

3861 Paradise Cv N

Stillwater, MN

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It's simply time to move forward, to more sustainable energy sources. Fracking is horrible.

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Sincerely,

Pat Stevesand

13109 Walnut Cir

Burnsville, MN

3/18/2019

Dear Commissioners,

I've seen the downstream damage this extraction method causes in Ohio and throughout the midwest. As a paying utilities customer with Xcel, I am speaking my morals and concerns regarding their supply chain. If they move forward here, it will further incentivize me leaving their grid with solar tech.

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Sincerely,

Adrian Bennett

3515 E 42nd St

Minneapolis, MN

3/27/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Just because other states are willing to trash their land to make a few bucks from the final throes of fossil fuel energy, does not mean that Minnesota should also be willing to do so.

Thanks for your time.

Charles Pulkrabek ?? Bemidji, Minnesota

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Sincerely,

Charles Pulkrabek

PO Box 1037

Bemidji, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Keeping Minnesota beautiful means keeping her clean and healthy too. Let's invest in renewables.

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Sincerely,

Candace Gouze

12870 12th St N

Lake Elmo, MN

3/12/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Let us have Minnesota as a leader in the environmental movement toward renewable energy resources. My electricity rates have doubled since moving here in 2000. This plan will not help that factor either.

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Sincerely,

Bruce & Michelle Hanson

12720 27th Ave N

Plymouth, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Let's strongly shift our mix to clean energy, and not lock more capital investment dollars and consumer bills to a source that is not forward-looking and optimally clean. Let's keep Xcel and Minnesota in the lead for our grandchildren.

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Sincerely,

Mark Larson

556 Summit Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/10/2019

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Pamela Syverson

11510 39th Ave N

Plymouth, MN

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Sincerely,

Steve Lindaas

1123 22nd Ave S

Moorhead, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Let's invest in the health of our earth and our children. Please do not allow a fracking plant to go up in our beloved Minnesota.

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Sincerely,

Kathleen Lauer

6925 Glenwood Ave

Golden Valley, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

Lorie Badiyan

170 Sunrise Ave

Excelsior, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Make MN a leader in stopping climate change, it would better everyone's life now and in the future.  
Make it your legacy.

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Sincerely,

Kathleen James

2352 County Road E E

White Bear Lake, MN

3/9/2019

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Sincerely,

Holly Larochelle

1823 Lincoln St NE

Minneapolis, MN

3/17/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Minnesota has the opportunity now to switch to 100% clean, carbon-free, and renewable energy. That is what we want and need, and that is the future whether or not Xcel buys this plant -- it's only a matter of time and we are on the precipice of getting legislation to support this passed. Choose now to protect our air and water, our natural flora and fauna, and future generations from climate change.

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Sincerely,

Joseph Rojas Jr

723 7th St SE

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Minnesota is a great state- we are often ahead of the pack when it comes to natural resource management and environmental responsibility. I urge you to stay ahead of the pack and take the action that will improve the quality of life for generations after us. Thank you.

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Annika Feight

425 Erie St SE

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

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Patricia Hauser

Unknown

Excelsior, MN

3/9/2019

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Sincerely,

Carol Berg

104 Chapel Ln

Saint Joseph, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

My family is committed to clean eco friendly energy sources. We are a part of your wind source program and want you, our energy provider, to produce more solar, geothermal and wind power.

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Whitney Thorpe

5714 Zane Ave N

Crystal, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Natural gas is only a step away from coal when one looks at the picture of extracting. It's use will help us to move to renewables but investing in it for the future is the wrong move. I don't want to pay for an old plant going forward. It too needs to be retired as soon as possible.

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Sincerely,

Karen Hannah

13131 40th St N

Stillwater, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Natural gas produces 10 times stronger green house gases. It is NOT clean energy.

Please deny permission!!!

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Barbara Martin

3700 Alabama Ave S

Saint Louis Park, MN

3/13/2019

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Siela Siela

5309 Williston Rd

Minnetonka, MN

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Sincerely,

Marilee Lampman

140 Fairview Lane

Red Wing, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

NO fracked gas in MN! How about solar?

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Jon Birch

16015 Elgin Ct

Faribault, MN

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Sincerely,

Kristel Buck

2007 Schulenberg Aly

Stillwater, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

No fracking please. It is too dangerous to do this -- for people, for the environment.

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Sincerely,

Jean Morris Trumbauer

4302 14th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

No more carbon pollution! Invest in clean energy, like my family did by installing solar panels on our property.

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Elizabeth Songalia

649 Waseca St

Saint Paul, MN

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Freda Veljkovich

1521 2nd St N

Saint Cloud, MN

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Sincerely,

Malcolm Nazareth

819 14th St N

Saint Cloud, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

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Roger Aus

7000 Park Ave

Richfield, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Now is the time to act boldly and take big steps towards 100% renewables - thank you for your efforts. -  
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Douglas Mensing

4033 Garfield Ave

Minneapolis, MN

3/8/2019

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Wade Johnson

4720 13th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

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Sincerely,

Sue Odonnell

13402 77th St NW

Annandale, MN

3/12/2019

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Paula Fischer

3406 E 40th St

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

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Drew Sims

7640 Southridge Ct

Savage, MN

3/9/2019

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Sincerely,

Maya Sarkar

1849 Washington Ave S Apt 430

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Please do not allow more fracking in the Mankato area or anyplace else in Minnesota. We need to develop 100% renewable energy throughout our state and beyond.

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Sincerely,

Donna Wermus

8718 19th Ave S

Bloomington, MN

3/9/2019

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Jane Nechville

10021 3rd Ave S

Bloomington, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Please do not wish on Mankato a huge plant that will reduce local communities' abilities to move toward clean energy. Last year, my husband and I opted to sign on to St. Peter's investment in solar energy. We believe in solar and other energy sources supported by our city and our neighbors. We oppose Xcel's move to not only boost its use of fossil fuel but to also undermine today's concerned citizens' efforts to move toward a safer, cleaner environment and to slow climate change. My husband and I are in our mid-70s. We are willing to pay forward, to sacrifice our financial resources for the sake of those who will continue after we are gone. We are not pleased to sacrifice for the sake of an energy company that needs to make better decisions now, not later.

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Sincerely,

Edith Thorstensson

809 S 7th St

Saint Peter, MN

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Sincerely,

Clara Ueland

1902 Homestead Trl

Long Lake, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Please don't do this. We need to be getting off of fossil fuels completely, and spending money on developing sustainable means of producing energy such as solar, wind & electricity. We are in a climate crisis; buying a fracked gas plant would be unconscionable in light of what we're up against, in the short time we have to prevent a nonstopable slide into ecological destruction. Please do the responsible thing and cancel plans to purchase the fracked gas plant.

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Sincerely,

Judith Lord

3030 St Albans Mill Rd Apt 203

Minnetonka, MN

3/23/2019

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Grecia Glass

1266 Englewood Ave

Saint Paul, MN

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Dawn Baker

4708 Oakland Ave

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Please don't invest in any more fossil fuel plants. I worry about my grandchildren and their grandchildren. Besides, buying a power plant that will be obsolete in the future also means agreeing to pay for the cleanup costs; no matter what they may be. My energy costs are high enough without worrying about clean up costs of an outdated power plant that \*may have\* unknown spills and environmental hazards that will be extremely costly to deal with in the future.

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Jennifer Paterson

1070 Edgewater Ave

Saint Paul, MN

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Rachel Guerrero

3310 39th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

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Anne Ness

3132 19th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

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Joan Vorderbruggen

301 S Olaf Ave

Battle Lake, MN

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Sincerely,

Denise Moreno

2127 Twin Bluff Rd Apt 202

Red Wing, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Please read this and listen. Please help.

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Rebecca Dick

1818 Viola Heights Ln NE

Rochester, MN

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Sincerely,

Norma Jean Hjellming

8350 Terrace Rd NE

Spring Lake Park, MN

3/9/2019

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Mark Sulander  
2528 38th Ave S  
Minneapolis, MN

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Ann Skoog

12855 Ozark Trl N

Stillwater, MN

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Sincerely,

Marjorie Proell

509 Birch St S

Sauk Centre, MN

3/9/2019

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Sincerely,

Jillian Duett

2404 31st Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Please think about the next 7 generations when making energy decisions. How will this affect them?  
Thanks for your consideration!

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Jennifer Rogers

14126 Garland Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Please watch some documentaries about how family farms have been ruined by fracking - water polluted so badly that a match will LIGHT it . Our PUC should be weaning us away from gas and towards renewable energy sources.

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Sincerely,

Sara McKay

500 W. Jackson St. Apt. 217

St. Peter, MN

3/9/2019

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Sincerely,

R Limoges

701 Southwaite Ct

Redwood Falls, MN

3/9/2019

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Myk Behrens Mcardle

3522 Architect Ave

Minneapolis, MN

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Sincerely,

Liz Hawkinson

722 N 9th St

Saint Peter, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Purchasing this dirty energy plant means Xcel will feel obligated to shareholders to keep it running during its useful life - which contradicts the goal to be carbon-free. Don't let them torpedo the goal on day one.

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Steve Chesney

8172 Zenith Ct N

Brooklyn Park, MN

3/9/2019

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Put environmental welfare ahead of corporate plans; your kids and grandkids will be living with your decision.

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Donna Botle

3940 38th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

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Sincerely,

Claire O'Connor

5015 35th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

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Sincerely,

William Ashwood

581 12th Ave NW

Saint Paul, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Say NO to this plan - it is not what is good for Minnesota or the planet! No more fossil fuel investments!

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Sincerely,

Jennifer Krinke

339 Wilder St N

Saint Paul, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Seriously we need no more fracking. We need solar, wind, nuclear and any or all other goes sources that are not fossil fuel based. Climate change is real and it's here.

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Chuck Smith-Dewey

19350 Ireland Ct

Lakeville, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

So wrong on levels of this plan. . I do not want to pay for a decrepit plant purchased by Excel, knowing they would charge their customers to upgrade their sloppy business dealings..Fracked gas does nothing to the commitment to the reduction of CO2. In addition, the release of methane during the fracking process is an even bigger contributor to climate change, particularly now that the feds have removed the necessary language to reduce methane off gassing. This proposal will cause everyone, individuals & the earth to pay the price of Xcel's plan and possibly your decision. SAY NO.

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Sincerely,

Linda Schaetzel

3905 10th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Spending half a BILLION dollars on fossil fuel infrastructure doesn't seem consistent with Xcel's "clean energy plan" and doesn't make sense when we could instead invest in technology that will reduce carbon and save us money.

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Bradly Pepin

5105 Meadow Rdg

Edina, MN

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Sincerely,

Deborah Steinmetz

1809 Gervais Ave Apt 2

Maplewood, MN

3/12/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Thank you for considering this point of view. Lee

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Sincerely,

Lee Hickerson

15808 27th Ave N

Plymouth, MN

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Sincerely,

Lisa Pollei

9578 Thunderbluff Rd NW

Oronoco, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

The climate is never going to get better for my children if we keep using outdated fuel sources such as fracked gas, we should be leaving this planet in a better condition than when we got it, not destroying it more every day!

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Sincerely,

Jesse Scheneman

106 13th Ave S

Saint Cloud, MN

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Sincerely,

Edis Risser

4904 Thomas Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

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The Earth can't take any more exhaustion. There WILL undoubtedly be a global crisis in the coming years over resources, which could even lead to war. Stop taking steps in the wrong direction, for everyone.

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Sincerely,

Sophie Hannig

704 1st St S

Stillwater, MN

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Terri Dugan

709 18th Ave NE

Rochester, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

The price tag of \$650 million dollars would go a long way to move Minnesota to completely renewable energy and the goal of Gov. Waltz's 2050 initiative.

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Sincerely,

Tom Kiekhafer

12772 Swallow St NW

Coon Rapids, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

The reason I appreciate being an Xcel Energy customer is because of the company's commitment to renewable energy and I pay extra to make that possible. Fracking is not a process worth investing in on our path to reducing our environmental impact. Please reconsider.

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-Natasha Villanueva

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Natasha Villanueva

1826 Lasalle Ave Apt 36

Minneapolis, MN

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Lea Herrington

1873 Saint Clair Ave

Saint Paul, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

The UN Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) says the planet will reach the crucial threshold of 1.5 degrees Celsius by as early as 2030, triggering the risk of extreme drought, wildfires, floods and food shortages for hundreds of millions of people. World governments only have 12 years left to avert this catastrophe.

Included in the business plan for Xcel is the extinction of the human race and the planet. They'll never admit that, but that's what's going to happen if we keep fracking.

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Sincerely,

Kathy Magne

1989 Wellesley Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

The WARPED values in this time of GREED obviously takes NOT account of the planet itself. Mother Earth will one of these days take care of that problem if we do NOT stop desecrating degrading our air, water and land.

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Robert Albers

2890 Arthur Pl

Roseville, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

There comes a time to stop. We are in a climate crisis and NEED to move to renewables.

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Dan & Mary Hooley

14241 205th St N

Scandia, MN

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Sincerely,

Mike McDonald

2002 Pinehurst Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

There is no reason for fracking and destroying the water table. Focus on wind and solar power and continue along the pathway to zero carbon.

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Sincerely,

Cecily Harris

710 Broadway St

Marine on Saint Croix, MN

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Think about our planet. Nothing matters if you destroy it. Nothing. Do better.

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Sincerely,

Julie Ruegemer

1295 Loma Linda Ave

Mound, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

Anne Gillen

3999 Clover Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This could be devastating to our state with irreputal damage.

Karla

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Sincerely,

Karla Booth

7353 Logan Ct

Brooklyn Park, MN

3/12/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This is a step backwards- with the climate change problem, we need to invest in clean energy.

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Sincerely,

Laura Nereng

8315 Emerald Ln

Woodbury, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This is for our children and future generations. Please do your part now to make this world safer for them.

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Sincerely,

Sandra Keyes

Saint Paul, MN

3/8/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This is important to me because my family lives in the Mankato area. I'm worried for our future generations if we don't start taking action now!

Thank you for taking the time to read this.

Sue

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Sincerely,

Sue Wenker

2813 30th Ave NE

St Anthony, MN

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This is not a viable solution to future energy problems.

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Sincerely,

William Ashwood  
581-12th Ave. NW  
New Brighton, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This is not cleaning up our act! This is a path to condemning our home...our only home. It's time we follow the path other 1st world countries have: renewable and clean!!

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Sincerely,

Theresa Iverson

403 19th St NE

Austin, MN

3/8/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This is the land of 10,000 lakes. We do not need fracking's toxic chemicals in our ground water. Nor do we want the resultant earthquakes.

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Sincerely,

Barbara Johnson

1131 Lecuyer Ct

Stillwater, MN

3/8/2019

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Sincerely,

Katherine Bohn

7000 149th Ln NW

Ramsey, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This is tough to do, but it's for our state's Common Good.

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Sincerely,

Anna Barker

6135-C Courtly Alcove

Woodbury, MN

3/12/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This issue matters to me as a SE Minnesota citizen with a 10-year-old son who will inherit the problems of today. We can and should do better. If we need to spend \$650 million, spend it on solar and wind energy and develop battery storage systems in conjunction with school district buses that can provide extra power in when school is not in session.

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Sincerely,

Emilie Falc

212 E. Sanborn St.

Winona, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

This plant may be in my own back yard, but I am committed to energy sources that are renewable. Let's keep moving in that direction instead.

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Arlene Renshaw

216 Locke St.

Mankato, MN

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Sincerely,

La Vonne Woodruff

2884 138th St W

Rosemount, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Time is of the essence! We must build momentum toward a just and sustainable energy future, moving beyond fossil fuels -- For our grandchildren and future generations.

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Sincerely,

Linda Littrell

1057 Thomas Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Time to move to cleaner sources of energy. Natural gas is not good enough.

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Sincerely,

Russ Yttri

658 Greenbrier St Apt 11

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

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Sincerely,

Heyward Nash

1425 10th Ave S Apt 656

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

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We are adding More and more detrimental obstructions through Xcel's requests for negative plans.

We need to say No to their plans Thank you.and fracking..

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Sincerely,

Joy Barth

1001 14th St NW

Rochester, MN

3/8/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We are in a day and age where we need to pursue natural forms of energy not backtracking into buying a fracking plant which does the exact opposite. We need clean energy please pursue this! I want to save our planet not continue in a path of destroying it.

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Sincerely,

Patty Hauer

2211 Hartle Ave Apt 513

Owatonna, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We are just on the front end of the increasingly violent climate changes that atmospheric warming could bring. It's the small steps that we make now that have a chance to mitigate future damages.

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Jean And John White

4014 Kipling Ave

Minneapolis, MN

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Sincerely,

Kathy Lawrow

4224 Lyndale Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We can do better to conserve energy, and our efforts need to be focused on conservation and protection of natural resources. Fracking is terribly destructive to the environment.

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Sincerely,

Erika Aschmann

2022 27th St SE Apt 311

Saint Cloud, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We can't stop the worst impacts of climate change by investing in fossil fuels like fracked gas. We need to be moving down a path to 100% renewable energy for all Minnesotans by investing in wind, solar and energy savings.

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Sincerely,

Judy Epstein

3449 Garfield Ave Apt 104

Minneapolis, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We do NOT want to have Excel involved is using fracked gas since it is just another draining our fossil fuels and it produces methane which is much worse for our planet than carbon. We are demanding that no more fossil fuels be used for energy.

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Sincerely,

Lisa Ragsdale

2009 Bryant Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We don't have to ruin the environment for energy. We want innovative, clean, energy that leaves the planet healthier for future generations.

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Sincerely,

Beth Brombach

2214 Goodrich Ave

Saint Paul, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

Jim Adams

14643 Waco St NW

Ramsey, MN

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Dear Commissioners,

We don't want our beautiful state polluted and defaced with fracking.

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Sincerely,

Kim Schermer

4038 48th St NE

BUFFALO, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We have a moral, and many of us have a faith-based, obligation to care for creation and our neighbors, human and other living creatures. Help us meet that obligation.

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Sincerely,

Rev Dwight Wagenius

Unknown

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We have just a few years to get to carbon zero. Now is NOT the time to invest in fossil fuels! Please say NO to this dangerous project!

As a Minnesotan who wants affordable energy and cares about the health of our climate and communities, I urge you to reject Xcel Energy's request to purchase the 760 megawatt Mankato Energy Center.

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Sincerely,

Ellen Hadley

1948 Parkmont Ln

Anoka, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We have made progress, and can't go back in the wrong direction.

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Sincerely,

Pat Mcpeak

1008 Goodrich Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We have to stop putting off the inevitable, Clean, renewable energy is the ONLY way. Stop procrastinating, we must move forward not backward.

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Sincerely,

Sally Allen

3523 Colfax Ave N

Minneapolis, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

WE made some questionable decisions in the past that have allowed our rural coops to control and adjust their own rules as to how they handle the small solar producers. By charging large fees to send excess back. Lets not make the same mistake with Xcel. energy they need to invest in clean energy. They need to concentrate on industries Solar large farm producers like hog and big dairy. Even small operations like housing and larger condo and housing. If we are PLEDGING TO GO GREEN WE DO NOT NEED A OLD WORN OUT POWER PLANT TO SPEND A LOT OF MONEY ON.

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Sincerely,

Everett Dennis

63755 230th St

Austin, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We must care about our climate and it's impact on our Minnesota environment more than we care about short-term business gains. PRIORITIES!

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Sincerely,

Sheila Bennett

25 Birchwood Rd

Saint Paul, MN

3/8/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need renewable energy not more fossil fuels.

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Sincerely,

Rm Krebs

170 Good Counsel Dr

Mankato, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to act as if we live in the 21st century and use our energy-production technology wisely, not fall back on 19th century attitudes about endless fossil fuels.

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Sincerely,

Susan Wick

1436 Raymond Ave

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to be future focused which means investing in sustainable energy sources and taking actions to become less and less dependent on fossil fuels. Our environment is at risk of changing significantly if we do not do so and the number of severe weather crises will grow. Regarding the latter, sustainable energy sources are therefore the most economical, humanitarian and environmentally friendly. Please make a decision in favor of us, humanity, and our planets future.

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Sincerely,

Nicole Stanich

2701 39th Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to be moving towards renewables like wind and solar, and certainly not FRACKING!

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Sincerely,

Stacey Aldrich

2757 Alabama Ave S

St Louis Park, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to be working toward clean energy, not creating new plants for fossil fuels.

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Sincerely,

Patty Behrends

15377 58th St NW

Annandale, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to continue working on renewable energy, not go backwards with fracking. It hurts the water supply.

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Sincerely,

Lana Thompson

Unknown

Anoka, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

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Sincerely,

Liza Eng

1111 Gilmore Ave

Winona, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to get on board with clean energy. To use fracking we continue to destroy our state's environment. Climate change is real we can't keep ignoring it!

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Sincerely,

Patty Hauer

2211 Hartle Ave, Apt 513

Owatonna, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to invest in clean energy sources, rather than fossil fuels. Fracking is a particularly bad form of non-renewable energy, as it has the potential for serious environmental damage even apart from its carbon footprint.

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Sincerely,

Holly Windle

3521 Aldrich Ave S

Minneapolis, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to leave the planet viable for our children.

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Sincerely,

Rob Lautz

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to move toward 100% clean energy NOW! The healthy choices we make now will benefit and help reverse the damage we've done to our planet, our home. But we all must make and take conscious intelligent steps to clean up our destructive imprints.

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Sincerely,

Mary Serfin

6872 Buckingham Rd

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to protect the earth from further distraction so please do not allow for fracking for gas lines.

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Sincerely,

Germaine Riegert

1217 Main St

Waubun, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to protect the environment and fossil fuels like fracked gas are proven to destroy our planet. Please use your power to stop this from happening.

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Sincerely,

Thomas Sullivan

4061 209th LN NW

Oak Grove, MN

3/9/2019

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Sincerely,

Erik Voldal

3409 Woodstone Dr SW

Rochester, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to reach our 100% renewable energy goal as a state and we are far from it. We need to ?step on it?? we don?t have time to waste. And allowing Xcel Energy to invest in a fracked gas plant in Mankato will move us in the opposite direction from that goal! Please deny Xcel?s request to purchase that plant.

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Sincerely,

April Narcisse

8140 Rhode Island Cir

Bloomington, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to stop damaging the earth. My children are already convinced it's too late.

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Sincerely,

Lorna Levine

4309 Camelot Dr

Minnetonka, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We need to stop saying we can't do it and start saying we can!!

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Thomas Hoffmann

Birchdale, MN

3/9/2019

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We should harness hot air!

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Sincerely,

Shawn McGovern

313 Dale St N Apt 221

Saint Paul, MN

3/9/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We should not be supporting fracking by use of this gas plant.

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Sincerely,

Merle Teetzen

5830 Teakwood Ln N Apt A

Plymouth, MN

3/8/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We should work toward clean energy not Fossil fuels! Put that money towards clean energy and the health of our planet! Please!

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Sincerely,

Laura Dalin

215 First Ave East

Grand Marais, MN

3/11/2019

Dear Commissioners,

We walk and bike to shop, use transit, drive s Prius and have solar panels. That and lobbying are all we can do.

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Sincerely,

Stuart Knappmiller

1112 Orange Ave E

Saint Paul, MN

3/10/2019

Dear Commissioners,

Who pays for leaks?

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Sincerely,

Ron Williams

301 S 5th St, Apt 104

Mankato, MN

3/9/2019

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James Ryan

5860 Zanzibar Ln N

Plymouth, MN

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16015 Elgin Ct

Faribault, MN

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Elisabeth Peterson

2625 Fox St

Wayzata, MN

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Alexis Spier

324 19th Ave N

Sartell, MN

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Angela Anderson

1121 North 4th Street

Stillwater, MN

3/10/2019

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Xcel currently purchases power from the plant, purchasing the plant itself would leave Xcel customers like you on the hook to pay \$650 million for an outdated plant.

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Thomas Brinkman

1623 Teton Ct NE

Rochester, MN

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Dave Carlson

7006 W 23rd St

Saint Louis Park, MN

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Madelyn Sundberg

4221 Nicollet Ave Apt 102

Minneapolis, MN

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Zoe Naqwi

17862 Steading Rd

Eden Prairie, MN

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Now they want to buy and run a gas plant until 2054!

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Michael Shoop

2318 Parkwoods Rd

Minneapolis, MN

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Lee Wenzel

8666 Westwind Circle

Eden Prairie, MN

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4370 Brookside Ct Apt 312

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2082 Jade Ln

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10249 5th Ave S  
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Rochester MN 55901, MN

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890 9th Ave NW

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Dodge Center, MN

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