From:

Cristina Slaton

Sent:

Monday, December 08, 2014 4:33 PM

To:

Commissioner Correspondence
Docket Correspondence 140001-EI

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Thank you,

Cristina Slaton
Executive Assistant to Commissioner Balbis
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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Carol Hulit <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 4:19 PM

То:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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Dec 6, 2014

Commissioner Eduardo Balbis FL

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Sincerely,

Carol Hulit

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jennifer Polgar <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 3:51 PM

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Sincerely,

Jennifer Polgar

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Derek Smith <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Derek Smith

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Dylan Besser <act@fwwatch.org>

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Dylan Besser

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Stephen Cordelli

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Kerstin Green

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Lucy Thater <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Lucy Thater

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Sandra K Herrington

<act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 3:21 PM

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Sandra K Herrington

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of G Miller <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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G Miller

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Manfred Deckert <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Manfred Deckert

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Carol Silberg <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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carolyn gallagher

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Stephen Baker <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Diane Eisenhower <act@fwwatch.org>

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Diane Eisenhower

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Elizabeth Bowman <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Elizabeth Bowman

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Patty Street <act@fwwatch.org>

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Patty Street

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Marc Heilemann <act@fwwatch.org>

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Marc Heilemann

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Barbara Maddux <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

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From:

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Mary Homko

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Valerie Tomsic <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Cynthia Cripps

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Sandra Baillie <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 3:20 PM

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Kathleen Gould

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Mark Youd

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Sent:

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Alton Burns

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Verna Rosenzweig

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Robin Sekerak

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Paul Groh <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Paul Groh

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Margie Wagner <act@fwwatch.org>

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Linda Ashton

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N. Lewis

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Dennis Dubina <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Kelly Hancock <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Laura Baldwin

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Robert Roman

From:

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barbara jannicelli

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craig mowrer

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Brigitte Loper

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Patricia Christensen <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:20 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

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Theresa Rockett

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Sharyn Scull <act@fwwatch.org>

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We ask that you support a ban on fracking in our state, for the reasons outlined above.

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Sincerely,

Sharyn Scull

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Trent Petry <act@fwwatch.org>

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Morgan Starchild

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Lorna Wallach <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Dorothy Blake <act@fwwatch.org>

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Dorothy Blake

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Nancy Epsky <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Nancy Epsky

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Charles Ellison <act@fwwatch.org>

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Charles Ellison

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jesse green <act@fwwatch.org>

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Jesse green

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Giancarlo Hernandez

<act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Judith Scott <act@fwwatch.org>

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Nohelia Resto

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SALLY MCDONALD

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jean Citron <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

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From:

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maureen thompson

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Catherine Hamel <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:51 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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Catherine Hamel

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Bill Willis

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Charles Reskin

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Rich Schnoor

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Sincerely,

sue michel

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Hadassah Schulman

<act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ken Farley <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Andre Kervran <act@fwwatch.org>

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Andre Kervran

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Carmen Ramirez <act@fwwatch.org>

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<act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Lynne Webb <act@fwwatch.org>

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Sent:

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Sent:

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Candice Adams

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Cathrine Holden <act@fwwatch.org>

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Cathrine Holden

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Nancy Norris <act@fwwatch.org>

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Nancy Norris

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Michael Shapiro <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jill Haughie <act@fwwatch.org>

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Jill Haughie

From:

Cristina Slaton

Sent:

Monday, December 08, 2014 4:36 PM

To:

Commissioner Correspondence

Subject: Attachments:

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Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:50 PM

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From:

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Sincerely,

Patricia Ward

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Caroline Comnenos <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:51 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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Dec 6, 2014

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Caroline Comnenos

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Kim Wilson <act@fwwatch.org>

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Kim Wilson

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of MARY WAMBY <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

MARY WAMBY

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Bernadette Trujillo <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Bernadette Trujillo

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Eric Bello <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Andy Colee <act@fwwatch.org>

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Andy Colee

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ronald Trudo <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Mary Calo <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of James Adams <act@fwwatch.org>

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James Adams

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Garrett Potter <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

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H McKee

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Lily Hernandez <act@fwwatch.org>

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Lily Hernandez

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Nancy Lopez <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Pamela Ballance <act@fwwatch.org>

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Timothy Estes

From:

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Sent:

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<act@fwwatch.org>

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Please don't make that happen.

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Sincerely,

Elizabeth Miller

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Simone Hickman <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:49 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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James Forero

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Lora Smith <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Lora Smith

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Patrick McGlamery <act@fwwatch.org>

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Sulochana Sherman

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of jean germain <act@fwwatch.org>

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jean germain

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of John Dieffenbach <act@fwwatch.org>

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Patricia Mitchell

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Charles Powers <act@fwwatch.org>

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Charles Powers

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Julia Haverty <act@fwwatch.org>

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Julia Haverty

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Kurt Jonssos <act@fwwatch.org>

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Kurt Jonssos

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Mike Vaupel, Sr. <act@fwwatch.org>

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Debra Gable

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Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Judith Lapham <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Sally Rist <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Joseph Duncan

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Kurt Jonssos <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:20 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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Kurt Jonssos

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Mary Brown <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Mary Brown

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Claudia Miranda <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Claudia Miranda

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Dr. Susan Wesley <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Dr. Susan Wesley

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Neal Rue <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Neal Rue

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jennipher Murphy-Whitcomb

<act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Harold Archilla

From: Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Joanne Kennedy <act@fwwatch.org>

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Joanne Kennedy

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of John fichtner <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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John fichtner

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of donna dennis <act@fwwatch.org>

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donna dennis

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Angelica Azpurua <act@fwwatch.org>

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<act@fwwatch.org>

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Ann Wilson

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Patricia Buttimer <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 11:49 AM

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From:

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Only the truly stupid would even consider this greedy treasonous request.

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Sincerely,

Chad Steele

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Sandra Boylston <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 1:49 PM

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Sandra Boylston

From:

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Sent:

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Make sure that this does NOT use fracking or fracked gas!

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Sincerely,

Harry Swensen

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Latika Young <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Jean Alford

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Michael Renzi <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:50 PM

To:

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Michael Renzi

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Joanne Sininsky <act@fwwatch.org>

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Joanne Sininsky

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Sincerely,

Ronald Butler

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Heather Gray <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:51 PM

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Heather Gray

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Gianna Smith <act@fwwatch.org>

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Gianna Smith

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of George Spillers <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Dave Cutler <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Wanda Schwerer <act@fwwatch.org>

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Wanda Schwerer

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Judi Marcus <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Judi Marcus

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Laurie Hein <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:21 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Laurie Hein

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Diane Deleasa <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

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From:

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Sincerely,

Astrid Mack

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Bob Langford <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:52 PM

To:

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Subject:

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Bob Langford

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Rosalyn Kilcollins <act@fwwatch.org>

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Rosalyn Kilcollins

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Karen Mesterton-Gibbons

<act@fwwatch.org>

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Karen Mesterton-Gibbons

32312

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Rich Siegel <act@fwwatch.org>

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Rich Siegel

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of John Mercer <act@fwwatch.org>

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Stanley Wecker

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Valerie Sebring <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ralph Harris <act@fwwatch.org>

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Ralph Harris

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Gloria Beth Bagwell <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Judy Seagal <act@fwwatch.org>

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Judy Seagal

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jackie printz <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

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Chuck Ferrari

From:

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From:

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From:

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Sent:

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From:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of James Sturgill <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

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William Bagley

From:

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Sent:

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Sulochana Sherman

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Gary Robertson <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:21 PM

To:

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Alan Lopez <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Karen Fraley <act@fwwatch.org>

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Karen Fraley

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Viviane Paolini <act@fwwatch.org>

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Viviane Paolini

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Cynthia Simon <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ron Stephen <act@fwwatch.org>

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Ron Stephen

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Bernard Rose <act@fwwatch.org>

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Bernard Rose

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Jeanne Underhill

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Roberta Lutz <act@fwwatch.org>

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Linda Menke

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Cheryl Watson <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Lewis Deene

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Linda Smith <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Lillian Hyland

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From:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ileana Rego <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 1:20 PM

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Sincerely,

Mark Lainer

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jacqueline Kolb <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:51 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

Please Deny FPL's Request for Fracked Gas

Dec 6, 2014

Commissioner Eduardo Balbis

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Sincerely,

Jacqueline Kolb

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Donna Friedman <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:50 PM

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Donna Friedman

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Carolyn Callahan <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:20 PM

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Carolyn Callahan

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Dave Lee <act@fwwatch.org>

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Sincerely,

Dave Lee

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Kevin Tierney <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Kevin Tierney

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Karen Hantsbarger <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:19 PM

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Sincerely,

Karen Hantsbarger

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Donna Waks <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:52 PM

To:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of George Mackison <act@fwwatch.org>

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George Mackison

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Eric Vasallo <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:51 PM

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Eric Vasallo

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Charles Ellison <act@fwwatch.org>

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Charles Ellison

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of William Claiborn <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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William Claiborn

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Bobby Rogers <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:50 PM

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Bobby Rogers

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Karen Force <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:50 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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Sincerely,

Karen Force

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Radka lordanova <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:50 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

Radka Iordanova

From:

Cristina Slaton

Sent:

Monday, December 08, 2014 4:21 PM

To:

Commissioner Correspondence
Docket Correspondence 140001-EI

Subject: Attachments:

Please Deny FPL's Request for Fracked Gas JUST SAY NO!!!!!!!: Please Deny FPL's Request for Fracked Gas; JUST SAY NO TO THESE FRACKERS; Please Deny FPL's Request for Fracked Gas; Please Deny FPL's Request for

Attachments:

Fracked Gas; Please Deny FPL's Request for Fracked Gas

Please place the attached e-mails in docket correspondence for consumers and their representatives in Docket # 140001-EI.

Thank you,

Cristina Slaton
Executive Assistant to Commissioner Balbis
PH: (850) 413-6004
3X: (850) 413-6005
cslaton@psc.state.fl.us

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Lisa Perry <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 5:19 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

Please Deny FPL's Request for Fracked Gas

JUST SAY NO!!!!!!!

Dec 6, 2014

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Lisa Perry

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jennifer Clark <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 5:20 PM

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Jennifer Clark

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Rev Margaret E Howland

<act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 5:21 PM

To:

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Rev Margaret E Howland

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Bernita Smith <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 4:50 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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Bernita Smith

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Stephen Moses <act@fwwatch.org>

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Stephen Moses

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jimmy Carrell <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 5:19 PM

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We were surcharged for a nuclear power plant that was never built and did not get a refund. Now it is possible that we will be asked to fund the investment of FP&L in natural gas drilling. I strenuously oppose being "taxed" for such a scheme and urge the Public Service Commission to deny any such request if it is proposed by FP&L. Further drilling for natural gas or oil using a form of extreme extraction known as fracking can contaminate air and water and endanger public health.

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Jimmy Carrell

From:

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Susy Lauzon

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of David Stickell <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Linda Martin

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Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 4:50 PM

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From:

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Charlene Black

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of carolyn sutton <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 4:50 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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Dec 6, 2014

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carolyn sutton

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Marilynn Smith <act@fwwatch.org>

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Marilynn Smith

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Richard O'Dell <act@fwwatch.org>

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Richard O'Dell

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Gloria Bell <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Gloria Bell

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of nancy lindas <act@fwwatch.org>

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nancy lindas

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Beth Zelanko <act@fwwatch.org>

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Beth Zelanko

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Micki LeCronier <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 5:20 PM

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Micki LeCronier

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Joan Miles <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of William Michael <act@fwwatch.org>

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William Michael

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of susan bloom <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Sharon Davis <act@fwwatch.org>

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Sharon Davis

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Christopher Radulich

<act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Scharley Jordan <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Erik Scott <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

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Sent:

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Mark Fields

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of V Sande <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 3:19 PM

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Subject:

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Sent:

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Loren Evans

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Maria Kusnezova <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 5:21 PM

Office of Commissioner Balbis

To: Subject:

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Maria Kusnezova

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Cheri Moore <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ronald Eike <act@fwwatch.org>

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Ronald Eike

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Erik Melear <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Erik Melear

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Lisa Saponaro <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 4:50 PM

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From:

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Sandra Soler

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Diana Greene <act@fwwatch.org>

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Diana Greene

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Karen Laakaniemi <act@fwwatch.org>

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Karen Laakaniemi

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ellie Bendure <act@fwwatch.org>

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Ellie Bendure

From:

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Todd Hammond <act@fwwatch.org>

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Todd Hammond

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Linda Bajkowsky <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Susan Bailey <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of jeff tabin <act@fwwatch.org>

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jeff tabin

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Stephen Mizner <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Scot Kurth <act@fwwatch.org>

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Scot Kurth

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Lawrence Montford <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Kevin Kelley <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Christine Olson

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of William Schatz <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:49 PM

To:

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William Schatz

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of patricia peterson <act@fwwatch.org>

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Sincerely,

patricia peterson

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of M. Light <act@fwwatch.org>

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M. Light

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Karen cole <act@fwwatch.org>

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Sincerely,

Karen cole

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Christopher Coppage

<act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 1:50 PM

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Christopher Coppage

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Tim Bear <act@fwwatch.org>

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Tim Bear

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of M G <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 2:49 PM

To:

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Sincerely,

M G

33324

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Laura Berben <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:50 PM

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Laura Berben

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Joy Lowell <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Joy Lowell

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Danny Woodring <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:51 PM

To:

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Danny Woodring

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Valerie Amor <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Cheryl Sica <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Cheryl Sica

33991

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of mike reamer <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 11:49 AM

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mike reamer

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Jesus Cruz <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Marilyn Brown <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Marilyn Brown

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of June Vearling <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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June Vearling

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Dana Ayers <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sent:

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andrea caine

From:

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From:

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Sent:

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Sincerely,

Marie Fitzsimmons

From:

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Sincerely,

Angela Watson

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of jean germain <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:20 PM

To:

Office of Commissioner Balbis

Subject:

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Sincerely,

jean germain

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Gary Houchens <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Gary Houchens

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Michael Bloom <act@fwwatch.org>

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Eileen Daniel <act@fwwatch.org>

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Sincerely,

Eileen Daniel

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Thomas Cale <act@fwwatch.org>

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Thomas Cale

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Ricky Buttery <act@fwwatch.org>

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Sincerely,

Ricky Buttery

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Allie Tennant <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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I DO NOT WANT FRACKING IN MY STATE. NOT NOW, NOT EVER.

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Sincerely,

Allie Tennant

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Michael Bates <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Joel Kurtzberg <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Joel Kurtzberg

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Diane Ziemlak <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Diane Ziemlak

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Joan Balfour <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Joan Balfour

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Marilyn Lewis <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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Sincerely,

Marilyn Lewis

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Alan Dorfman <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 11:49 AM

To:

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Alan Dorfman

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Gator Osceola <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

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Deborah L Born

From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Martin Becker <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Rose Bray <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

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Sent:

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From:

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<act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

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From:

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Sent:

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From:

Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Don Burke <act@fwwatch.org>

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Food & Water Watch <act@fwwatch.org> on behalf of Dee Carr <act@fwwatch.org>

Sent:

Saturday, December 06, 2014 12:50 PM

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