

From: clara johnson

Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 7:08 PM

To: Council Members; Maryc Gutekanst; Dillworth, Dana; Salmon, Michelle; Anderson, Greg; Mackin, Coleen; Miller, Anja; Parker, Carolyn; Johnson, Clara; Danny Ames; Grossman, Beth; Lall, Prem; Diaz, Joel; Ebel, Barbara

Subject: Fw: Meet the families fighting for clean air in California

Dear Brisbanians

I'm forwarding this message to you because of the proposed Baylands Project. I was told several years ago that particulate matter was the worst air pollution in San Mateo County. I don't want to add the air pollution that this project will cause to the air pollution burden we already bear.

Thank you for your concern for our community.

Clara Johnson

On Tuesday, September 19, 2017 8:54 AM, Union of Concerned Scientists wrote:

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ACTION ALERT

New Video: Stories from the Frontlines of Air Pollution in California

Dear Paul Clara Johnson,

Air pollution is a serious problem for the majority of Californians. In fact, according to the American Lung Association, **more than 90 percent of Californians are living with dirty air**. And if you've ever been stuck in traffic on your way to work, you know one of the main culprits of this dirty problem well: trucks.

Meet the families fighting for clean air in California. Dirty air affects 90 percent of Californians. **Watch our video** of people across the state fighting air pollution from trucks. And share their stories on **Facebook** and **Twitter**.

While many of us are affected by dirty air and truck traffic, not all Californians are affected equally. **Ninety percent of residents in the most polluted regions of California are people of color**—even though they make up about 60 percent of the state's population.

Hear real stories from Californians across the state facing freight-related issues—[watch the new video](#) from the Union of Concerned Scientists and the California Cleaner Freight Coalition today. Then, help spread the word about truck pollution and its clean technology solutions—share the new video on social media.

The California Cleaner Freight Coalition is a network of grassroots groups working to protect public health, clean the environment, safeguard science, and promote social justice and equity by transforming freight transportation away from fossil fuels and towards zero-emission technologies. As a member of this coalition, **the Union of Concerned Scientists is committed to sharing the stories of Californians most impacted by freight pollution**—and sharing the news about the solutions.

Please elevate these stories by sharing the new video on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) today or by forwarding this email to your friends and family.

Vehicle pollution poses health risks at all stages of life, from premature births to premature deaths. Health effects include increased risks of cancer, damages to respiratory and cardiovascular systems, and stunted lung development for children.

When you combine these impacts with the growth of our freight system—which is expected to increase by 90 percent by 2050—the urgency of transitioning to clean, zero-emission technologies grows.

**You can be a part of the solution—[watch and share the new video](#)
today to raise awareness of this critical problem facing Californians.**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Emily Heffling". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized initial "E".

Emily Heffling

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