

## Ventura Webinars Report April 28 – May 5

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2	Liz	█	█@cfrog.org
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4	Kevin	█	█70@gmail.com
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Q&A:

#	Question	Asker Name
1	Will SoCalGas agree to baseline testing prior to excavation? (This would be, at a minimum, lead and asbestos dust screenings at EP Foster Elementary school and baseline blood lead testing of children attending EP Foster).	Liz █
2	DTSC provides approval for the soil remediation. Who is responsible for permitting and approving construction of the new compressors? What state or local agencies need to give approval, and who are your contacts there?	Liz █
3	Can you provide us with a needs assessment document for the compressor expansion? What is your estimate of growth of gas use in the building sector?	Liz █
4	Jessica Kinnahan Foley mentioned that a Human Health Risk Assessment report you conducted when she spoke at Ventura City Council this past Monday. Where can we find that report? If it's not available, will you make it available?	Liz █
5	What is the overall pipeline pressure increase that will result from the planned expansion of the compressor facility? Please name pipelines and PSI.	Liz █
6	Hi. Could you tell us: 1. How many pipes lead into the facility? 2. What are the diameters of the pipes? 3. What is the PSI of the pipes? 4. How many pipes lead out of the facility? 5. What are the diameters? 6. What is the PSI of these pipes? 7. How will the upgrade change each of the above?	Paul █
7	Who is the main point of contact regarding 1555 N. Olive St. at the California Public Utilities Commission? What is their role in the expansion process?	Liz █
8	Can you please let in Kevin █? He is our attorney here at CFROG.	Liz █
9	We would like to see the second safety slide you skipped past. Can you go back	Liz █

	to it?	
10	Maria or ██████a, can you please let in ██████@gmail.com? Currently in the waiting room....	Liz ██████
11	What is being done about the lingering groundwater contamination below the site.	Carol ██████
12	The map you reference only says "high pressure". Why won't you say what the diameter of pipes are and what the PSI is?	Paul ██████
13	What kind of percent increase in PSI does the site create?	Paul ██████
14	Will you be seeking additional CEQA review for the additional compressors and buildings? The current CEQA exemption does not address this	Carol ██████
15	For the expanded station, when "Blowdowns" take place, where does the "Blowdown" gas emit to?  Is the gas released into the neighborhood?	Liz ██████
16	Will the new compressor station generate noise, if so when and how much?	Carol ██████
17	So you're saying that the ENTIRE compressor facility expansion has no requirements from any agency (state or local) for discretionary approval?	Liz ██████
18	Will more gas move through the site after the upgrade?	Paul ██████
19	Does any state or local agency have discretionary permitting of this facility?	Liz ██████
20	For the construction process, it's 100% ministerial?	Liz ██████
21	Would you be open to fence line air monitoring considering the high number of children in the immediate area	Carol ██████

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#	First Name	Last Name	Email
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Q&A:

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1	Por qué no se podría ubicar esta planta lejos de la residencias?	Eduardo [REDACTED]
2	¿Podría decir otra vez cuando empezaría la construcción?	Eduardo [REDACTED]

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1	What is your schedule for construction?	Katie █
2	Have there been EIRs for any of your compressor projects and what agency led those?  Has there been any gas shortage on the target central coast in recent years?	Katie █
3	Why didn't DTSC hold public meetings?	Paul █
4	How can the community trust SoCal gas when you have not let the community know of methane leaks, especially families of kids who go to EP foster?	Isba █
5	Can you speak a bit more to the community notification process you went through in the last few months to inform the community about this project? I understand from the Ventura Unified School District superintendent that they were not notified, nor was the Ventura City attorney.	Tim █
6	Is a copy of the soil remediation plan that DTSC approved, including possibly a general-public friendly summary/portion (in English, Spanish) publicly available?	Geordie █

7	What percentage of gas passing through the station is used by "demand" and what percentage goes to storage in Goleta?	Paul [REDACTED]
8	If you have methane detectors throughout the site, why was the 2017 leak not detected until JPL flew over?	Tim [REDACTED]
9	What exactly was leaking that turned up in the fly over?	Paul [REDACTED]
10	Why wasn't Socalgas aware that they had a major leak?	Paul [REDACTED]
11	For DTSC: why are they claiming that there was little interest in this project given the drastic shortfalls in the notification process? It seems that the community will not be able to express interest in a project that the community has not been adequately informed about.	Tim [REDACTED]
12	Is that study of gas usage to justify this project publicly available? What is the project cost and has that cost been approved by the PUC?	Katie [REDACTED]
13	Are there plans to be able to detect future leaks outside the buildings?	Paul [REDACTED]
14	How will that newly scheduled DTSC meeting impact the project timeline? Will the clean up be delayed until after that community meeting?	Tim [REDACTED]
15	For DTSC: can you identify a facility that you have performed a RAW for that is 100 years old and outside of the bounds of current regulations due to it being grandfathered in?	Tim [REDACTED]
16	What is the difference between methane gas and the natural gas in this pipeline?	Kioren [REDACTED]
17	How often do "blowdowns" take place?	Paul [REDACTED]
18	Given that the buildings are being completely rebuilt, why not build the facility at a further distance from the elementary school?	Tim [REDACTED]
19	Does the La Goleta gas storage field just serve Santa Barbara County? Or is gas stored there moving back down to southern California? Any impact to other gas storage fields like La Goleta when Aliso was shut down?	Katie [REDACTED]
20	For DTSC: What are you requiring of SoCalGas so the local environment is safe during the cleanup?	Tim [REDACTED]
21	If there were a worst case accident that resulted in an explosion, what would the radius of such an explosion be?	Paul [REDACTED]
22	Will the 5 daily trucks enter and exit throughout the day?	Paul [REDACTED]
23	For DTSC: Can you describe the spill events that the Ventura facility has notified DTSC of? If there is a substantial amount of unreported spills, have they issued fines?	Tim [REDACTED]
24	Will the recording of this meeting be available to the public?	Eduardo [REDACTED]

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1	How does the compressor facility fit into the plan to eliminate GHG emissions? Isn't methane a GHG?	James █████
2	where is your data on the stations you are monitoring "24/7" what are the constituents why isn't this publicly available	leah █████
3	Compressor stations have exploded in the past. Even if it's very unlikely, it is an unacceptable risk to be located next to an elementary school. How do you justify this?	James █████
4	What was the chemical makeup of the leak that was discovered by NASA in 2017? How long was it leaking?	James █████
5	If you don't know how long it was leaking, how can you say the station has been operating safely since 1923? There are known harmful chemicals in natural gas, especially to children.	James █████
6	Back to the possibility of explosion, the other facilities that have exploded surely thought they were operating safely as well. Again, how do you justify having this risk next to a school full of young children?	James █████
7	If there is a dangerous up-set at the site, is there an alarm system to warn people in the area similar to the sirens that sound if there is a breach of Lake Casitas, and which are located in the Ventura Ave area?	James █████
8	What if a spark happens in those two minutes	James █████
9	you claim to follow best practices. we need your data made publicly available NOW. Jim, you said you don't know where the data is. When can we expect this information?	leah █████
10	Is there a number the public can call any day to report an issue or ask questions about site operations?	James █████

11	I'm not concerned about the employees knowing, but the public	James [REDACTED]
12	How often do blowdowns occur?	James [REDACTED]
13	What are the constituents of the blowdowns?	James [REDACTED]
14	What is the current diameter and operating pressure of the pipelines going in and out of the station? What will the operating pressure be after expansion?	James [REDACTED]
15	What would be the largest calculated risk area of a potential explosive accident at the site. I know there are safety measures bit its still possible	James [REDACTED]
16	How large would the evacuation zone be?	James [REDACTED]
17	I appreciate you three, too!	James [REDACTED]
18	How large would the potential evacuation zone be?	James [REDACTED]
19	If there were a fire	James [REDACTED]
20	You don't have a plan for if there was a fire at the facility?	James [REDACTED]
21	An emergency plan?	James [REDACTED]
22	So you would not evacuate people if there was risk of an explosion? children across the street?	James [REDACTED]