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To the Ontario Energy Board,

I'm writing about your upcoming review, as I believe it should include impacts related to the methods of upstream natural gas extraction for natural gas that will be transported through the pipeline. The climate emergency is always important to consider.

The world's climate scientists warned us in October 2018 that we must cut greenhouse gas emissions at least in half by 2030. Since then the warnings have become dire. We should not allow the fossil fuel industry to keep pretending as though they can solve our problems at the expense of the land and planet. Our children will pay the price. We have recognized the deep connection between the climate emergency and the fossil fuel industry, making it especially outrageous to allow these companies greater control over the future of our planet.

Thank you,

Laura