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To Ontario Energy Board,

The science is clear and irrefutable. The IPCC has warned that we must reduce global GHG emissions by 7.6% every year for the next decade (at least) if we are to meet our Paris target. Increasing our use of fracked gas for any purpose is explicitly telling our children, "we don't give a damn about our future or yours".

I refuse to do that and you should too.

Fracked gas is MORE harmful to the environment than using coal, in a number of ways, namely fugitive methane during exploration and shipment, earthquakes, and injecting untold chemicals into the groundwater including carcinogens, such as benzene, to name just a few. When renewables are cheaper and much safer than the proposed project, you must listen to the science if you are to look your children and all of the people of Ontario in the eyes.

Tom Cullen

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Yours truly,

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