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Subject: Fwd: Beacons in Black Point
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Ms. Drumm,

Please include my concerns in the BPCP.. If you would like copies of the FAA letter or Supervisor's Arnold's, please let me know.
Rosalie

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Subject: **Beacons in Black Point**

Dear Brad,

Last fall, almost overnight with no public notice, red flashing beacons were installed on six PG&E towers on the east and west sides of the Petaluma River in Black Point.

Many of us are livid that the beacons are shining in our windows all night long. While the towers are on the flats, Black Point homes are on hills so beacons shine directly into our homes. Many do not have blinds as we enjoy our previously dark sky community . Not only are the beacons intrusively bright but the flash every three seconds.

The beacons are two miles from Gness Airport at 200 feet elevation. Any pilot flying that low should not have a license. There has never been an accident along the Petaluma River.

In desperation, I wrote to Senator Boxer for help stating in my claim, "These beacons may be required by the FAA but why now? Gness Air

port and the towers have been here for 40 years as have I. Why are tax dollars being wasted on these beacons?"

Elizabeth Ray, of the FAA, finally answered Senator Boxer stating; "The FAA had no prior records on these towers and new aeronautical studies were completed."

Why, after so many years, despoil our neighborhood and waste tax dollars on these unnecessary beacons?

Sincerely,

Rosalie Webb

Black Point