

Dear California Coastal Commission,

I am Noah Shaffer a student from piedmont middle school. That attends a class called green team where we learn about global warming and climate problems. We also try to make our school and community a green place.

I think that we need to start a program that we need to rebuild and restore habitats so that we will be able to have wildlife and trees everywhere. I think that we as a community need to rebuild both land habitats and also ocean and streams. We have a major problem in ocean rise and also habitat destruction. If we rebuild the habitats like marshes they will absorb the sea rise so that animals can live in the ocean and we can live on land without it affecting us. If we try and fix this then we can go to the.

We should preserve open land so that animals can live and the hills should be reserved and some people need to go through the forest and cleanup litter, I've been up there recently and there was a lot of trash throughout the hike. If we can preserve open land then we can plan for later instead of just building.

Groundwater management is highly needed because right now the ocean is rising but not fresh water we need a lot of water we are in a serious drought.

Sincerely,  
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Thanks for reading my letter!:)

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