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**Subject:** Adopt the Climate Action Plan

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*Dear Orange County Board of Supervisors, I urge you to adopt your Climate Action Plan. Given the federal government's opposition to climate action (withdrawal from the Paris accord of 2015, repeal of the endangerment finding of the EPA, discontinuance of EV purchasing incentives, etc.), local jurisdictions must step into the breach and slow Earth's warming if upcoming generations are to have a livable climate. A county as prominent as ours nationally will influence other counties to adopt similar climate action plans. I applaud your drafting of a Climate Action Plan; now let's adopt it.*

*Thank you for your public service.*

*Sincerely,*

*Tom Osborne*

*Laguna Beach resident*

*Retired history professor*