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From: PUBCOMMENT-OCC
Sent: Wednesday, January 3, 2024 5:01 PM
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Cc: Laurie Gharis; Deornette Monteleone
Subject: FW: Public Hearing Request from El Paso Delegation Members
Attachments: Marathon Joint Letter to TCEQ.pdf

PM

From: Deanna Avalos <Deanna.Avalos@tceq.texas.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 3, 2024 5:00 PM
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From: Cameron Poursoltan <Cameron.Poursoltan@tceq.texas.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 3, 2024 4:22 PM
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Good afternoon,

Please see the attached letter from Senator Blanco and Representative Lina Ortega.

Best,

Cameron

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From: Cassandra Urrutia <Cassandra.Urrutia@senate.texas.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, January 3, 2024 4:04 PM
To: Cameron Poursoltan <Cameron.Poursoltan@tceq.texas.gov>
Subject: Public Hearing Request from El Paso Delegation Members

Hello, Cameron,

I hope you are having a great Tuesday. I have attached a letter from Senator Blanco and Rep Lina Ortega requesting a public hearing on the Marathon Petroleum air permit application to TCEQ.

Should you need any other information from me, please don't hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,

Cassandra Urrutia, MPH | Legislative & District Director
Office of Texas State Senator César J. Blanco- SD 29
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January 2, 2024

Ms. Laurie Gharis, Chief Clerk
Office of the Chief Clerk, MC 105
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality
P.O. Box 13087 Austin, Texas 78711-3087

Dear Ms. Gharis,

On December 6, 2023, the Marathon El Paso Refinery submitted an application to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a renewal of Air Quality Permit Number 18897. This would authorize the continued operation of the Petroleum Refinery located at 6501 Trowbridge Drive, El Paso, El Paso County, Texas 79905. An administrative review of this application by TCEQ was completed on December 12, 2023. Additionally, the first public mailed notice occurred the following day December 13, 2023.

Therefore, we formally request a public meeting to allow TCEQ and the applicant an opportunity to further explain the application and to allow the local community to be heard and continue to voice their concerns.

Thank you for your attention to my request, and I look forward to your response. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our offices.

Respectfully,

César J. Blanco
State Senator
District 29

Lina Ortega
Texas State Representative
House District 77