

**PROTECT OUR HEALTH! BAN PFAS!**

 **OIL & GAS**   
**CHEMICALS**  
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**TOXIC DANGERS TO**  
**OUR COMMUNITIES.** 

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Dear OCC Commissioners,

I am writing to ask you to approve the Application to amend the Commissions's rules to address PFAS, Case No. 23580, because:

- PFAS and PFOA pose a significant and growing threat to our health, accumulating in water, soil and our bodies over time, and causing cancer, birth defects and endocrine disorders.
- Oil and gas industry operators hide under the cover of "trade secret" protections and claim that they are no longer using PFAS or PFOA for oil and gas drilling, but that claim does not have the force of law, and without disclosure requirements, cannot be verified or enforced.
- Claims that chemical disclosure requirements will cause undue expense for oil and gas operators are false, as has been proven in California and Colorado. Fracking fluid ingredients can be disclosed without specifying exact formulas.

Please use your authority to protect New Mexicans from these forever chemicals. Once contaminated, there is no going back.

Sincerely, Sheila Olson

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