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In 1952, my parents bought out home in the San Bernardino Mountains. I was 8 years old and now I am 80. The house is 100.

It is important to note that the environmental study for Rules 11 11 and 11 21 did not review the mountain ranges of Southern California. Winter weather in the mountains includes freezing temperature, snow, sleet and powerful winds. The elevation where I live is 5,000 feet.

From my research, it appears that the unique mountain conditions were not considered in the AQMD Board's evaluation. A heavy winter snow storm regularly causes a power outage that leaves freezing temperatures in homes. Roads are laden with snow and in non-maintained County roads, they are not plowed. That means that there is no way out and no way in. During the blizzard 2 years ago, I was snowed in for 3 weeks.

The feeling of isolation is very scary: no heat, no lights, no tv, WiFi or landline. There is no way to order a delivery of food. I live with my cousin and we depend on these services.

Solar power is not practical when there is heavy snow. No sunshine; no electricity. Fog can do the same thing : no sunshine, no electricity. Fierce winds break the branches off trees; they fall on the power lines and take them down. No electricity is the result.

My generator and fire place saved my life. Two warm dogs were also a help. We would cuddle in front of the fireplace. Nancy Hoskins.

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