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**Hunter, Donielle** 

From:

Sierra Club <information@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Anthony Commarata

<sierra@sierraclub.org>

Sent:

Wednesday, July 22, 2015 6:35 PM

To: Subject: Puco Docketing

No bailouts for coal

Jul 22, 2015

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Sincerely,

Anthony Commarata 1833 Fairlawn Knolls Dr Akron, OH 44313-5435

From:

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Sandra Orahoske 6231 Olde Eight Rd Peninsula, OH 44264-7400

From: Sierra Club <information@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Patricia Bylica

<sierra@sierraclub.org>

Sent:

Thursday, July 23, 2015 12:36 AM

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Sincerely,

Patricia Bylica

OH 44805-9018

From:

Sierra Club <information@sierraclub.org> on behalf of constance stephens

<sierra@sierraclub.org>

Sent:

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constance stephens

OH 43081-7903

From: Sierra Club <information@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Beth Dunn

<sierra@sierraclub.org>

**Sent:** Thursday, July 23, 2015 9:07 AM

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Beth Dunn 2712 Bendemeer Ct Poland, OH 44514-2726