## **Humboldt Offshore Wind, BOEM**

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The Sierra Club has a strong history of supporting wind energy, although each proposed project is reviewed on a local level. This project is in alignment with the goals of The North Group of the Redwood Chapter of the Sierra Club. Humboldt offshore wind development will reduce greenhouse gases, dependence on fossil fuels and nuclear power for energy, and help to reduce the climate emergency.

However, this project needs to be conducted in such a manner that it reduces impacts and does not divide the community. Ongoing input from tribes, fishermen, businesses, recreation boaters, rural land holders, low-income communities, and other marginalized communities as well as environmental groups is vital as this process unfolds.

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