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In response to the Aliso Canyon gas leak in Porter Ranch, our Board supported legislation authored by Senators Barbara Boxer and Dianne Feinstein that directed Energy Secretary Ernest Moniz to lead a broad federal review of the cause and the response to the natural gas leak at Southern California Gas Company's Aliso Canyon Natural Gas. The amendments passed the Senate unanimously yet the main legislation, the Energy Policy Modernization Act, has yet to be acted upon. In response, Senators Boxer and Feinstein have sent a letter to President Obama asking him to create a multi-agency task force led by the Energy Department to investigate the cause and effects of the Aliso Canyon gas leak, whether the Aliso Canyon facility can safely be operated, and the steps needed to protect other communities nationwide.

I, THEREFORE, MOVE that the Board of Supervisors direct the Chief Executive Officer to draft and send a 5 signature letter to President Obama supporting the creation of a multi-agency task force led by the Energy Department to investigate the cause and effects of the Aliso Canyon gas leak.

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