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Dear Comments Clerk Texas Railroad Commission,

Firstly, I would like to introduce myself as an engineer for a big oil company. The larger companies are stepping up where possible to reduce flaring and reinject gas, but smaller companies that want to have larger profits are not prioritizing the pressure of oil wells by reinjecting gas. Ultimately, this decreases overall oil production from the well, and also is a waste of fuel that can be used later (natural gas) once the market returns. Natural gas is a great source of clean burning energy that is unfortunately currently uneconomic to produce, but should be increased in value by our society in the future and therefore not wasted now.

In the wake of the collapse of oil prices, I support prioritizing production cuts for oil companies with the worst records of excessive flaring at drilling sites. This is a waste of resources and harmful to our climate.

I want to see a plan to downsize the production of oil and gas throughout the next decade and manage the just transition to a cleaner economy for Texas.

Regards,
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