SLO Council backs review of Diablo

BY CYNTHIA BARAKATT
Editorial Assistant

A resolution supporting the call for an independent review of the Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant was unanimously approved Tuesday night by the San Luis Obispo City Council.

The resolution was "merely a statement of support of an independent review" of the plant safety structure by a qualified, impartial agency, said Councilwoman Glenni Deane Dovey.

Dovey said the resolution stemmed from a letter from the Mothers for Peace requesting the city's support in their call for an independent review of the plant.

Copies of the resolution were sent to the Nuclear Regulatory Commission as well as state officials, including Senators S.I. Hayakawa and Alan Cranston. A copy was also sent to the Rep. Morris Udall (D-Arizona) who heads the House Subcommittee on Energy and Environment which will hold hearings in November to look at the reviewing processes used by the NRC.

 Mothers for Peace spokeswoman Nancy Culver said the group asked the council to consider the resolution this week because hearings by the House subcommittee were originally scheduled for today. Witnesses for the Pacific Gas and Electric Co. could not appear today, however, and the hearings have been rescheduled for Nov. 19.

Culver said the group is asking for an independent review of the plant, because the NRC and the PG and E have not proved trustworthy in their review processes.

"The NRC has a program to ensure that nuclear power plants are built to their design specifications. No such plant is in effect at Diablo Canyon (or) the NRC would clearly have caught the errors," she said.

The letter from the Mothers for Peace to the city council calling for the resolution was sent earlier this month before the second design flaw in the plant was discovered, said Culver.

She said the discovery of the second mistake makes the call for an independent review "a modest proposal" and said "It's only that which can be done."}

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Richard Hubbard, a nuclear engineer, is also reviewing the plant on behalf of the Mothers for Peace, he said.

Pruett said the utility views an additional outside study as "unnecessary," but would adhere to any decision by the NRC or the House subcommittee that would call for additional examinations.

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BY SHERRY HEATH
Staff Writer

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The Senate rejected 52 to 48 a veto resolution that would have scrapped the sale of the sophisticated radar planes and F-16 jetfighter weaponry to the Arab kingdom. The president needed 50 votes, since a tie would have gone to him.

The House had voted 90-111 against the package two weeks ago, and, as late as Tuesday, Senate opponents remained confident they had more than enough support to do the same.

But Reagan's personal powers of persuasion produced a nail-biter that turned his way at the 5 p.m. EST showdown.

Earlier, the president told the Senate in a letter that the sale is invaluable to U.S. security interests "by improving both our strategic posture and the prospects for peace in the Middle East."

But opponents called it a threat to Israel, fuel for a Middle East arms race and a risk of losing secret AWACS and missile technology to the Soviets or radical Arab nations if the Saudi government is overthrown.

It's just about a perfect photo finish," said Sen. Charles H. Percy, R-Ill., Reagan's floor leader on the issue, as the climactic vote approached.

Reagan called it a test of his command of American foreign policy. Opponents saw it as a threat to the security of Israel and to the sanctity of America's most advanced military technology.

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Place: Room 220, University Union Cal. Poly
San Luis Obispo Contact:
Prof. John Culver
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Sales will increase respect for Reagan

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Alexander said as a result he feels Reagan will be more widely respected on Capitol Hill. "He's shown he's capable of persuading senators on a one-to-one basis to vote his way," said Alexander. "I have no doubt that his standing and respect with Congress has gone up."

Alexander said he thinks the sale also sends a word about American foreign policy to other nations. "The Arab nations will be pleased to notice the president can overcome the Israeli lobby and see that he is a master of foreign policy. They've been doubting that."

"One thing's for sure though," he said. "Somebody's going to get mad and end up suing someone else."

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Brown demands Diablo's license be revoked

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The PG and E requested a postponement of the original date, Oct. 29, for the House subcommittee hearing because key witnesses for PG and E were scheduled to attend hearings on water safety and control at the same time, said Pruett. He said those witnesses will be available to testify before the subcommittee in Washington on Nov. 19.

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The Budweiser Clydesdales demonstrated a combination of majesty and gracefulness when they visited San Luis Obispo this week.

They are truly a noble breed. They originated in Scotland and were once “improved” by cross-breeding with Flemish stallions. The horses stand 66 inches tall and weigh close to a ton. Their ancestors carried armor-plated knights to battle during the Crusades in the Middle Ages.

The thousand-year odyssey of the Clydesdales brought the majestic horses Tuesday to Williams Bros. Market on Broad Street in San Luis Obispo. The Clydesdales are known for their dark brown to black coloring with white markings.

Eight of the draught horses were in San Luis Obispo Tuesday with a red antique wagon. The local appearance of the Clydesdales was sponsored by Budweiser in cooperation with Anheuser-Busch.

The Clydesdales were a familiar sight in turn-of-the-century America when they were used to deliver a variety of goods, including beer. A special team of Clydesdales was put together by Anheuser-Busch in 1933 to celebrate the end of prohibition and they have been a tradition for the beer company ever since.

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**NRM Club**
The Natural Resources Management (NRM) Club will meet today at 11 a.m. in Science B-5 to discuss upcoming activities. They will also participate in a pumpkin carving contest.

**Halloween Dance**
Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity will hold a Halloween Dance Saturday, Oct. 31 from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. in UU 220. The cost is $1.60.

**Dance Saturday**
Halloween Dance will be held at 10 p.m. in the Math building. Room 152. Upcoming projects and activities will be discussed. The meeting is open to all interested students.

**Alternative Energy Club**
Glen Matteson, assistant planner for the San Luis Obispo community development department, will be the featured speaker at the next meeting of the Alternative Energy Club on Thursday, Oct. 29 at 11 a.m. in Science North.

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Mike McConnell, vice president of finance for the World Oil Company will be the guest speaker at the Society for Advancement of Management meeting on Thursday, Oct. 29 in Agriculture Engineering building.

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Room 201, Matteson will talk about a city energy policy he is drafting. Also, students interested in going on the Radeco tour should meet in front of the Air Conditioning and Engineering building at 1 p.m.

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Cross country runner Doug Avrit.

BY MARK ARRABIT  Staff Writer

Have you ever wondered what combination of attributes are essential to becoming a championship caliber runner? The answer is quite simple. Just look at Cal Poly's ace cross-country runner Doug Avrit.

Avrit possesses an enormous amount of talent. Born and raised in Chico, he first proved his prowess on the college track while attending West Valley Community College in Northern California. During his first season Avrit ran the 5,000 and 10,000 meter runs, and eventually placed fourth in the 5,000 at the state meet. Transferring to Cal Poly the next year, Avrit's story of success continued. “I've done pretty well here at Poly,” he shyly pointed out. “I qualified for nationals last year in cross-country and have made it in both of my years in track,” he said.

Running competitively however, requires much more than just raw talent. It also requires what some people call desire but which better equals to hours of hard work. “I work out about three to four hours a day and try to average around 85 miles per week,” Avrit said. “It does take a lot of my time up, but competing is something that I really enjoy. There's nothing that really compares to that feeling before the start of every race.”

A senior in eligibility this season, Avrit plans to continue running competitive- ly after the culmination of his college career. Ideally he would like to become a member of one of the more prestigious track clubs in the area. By doing so, Avrit explained, he would have the opportunity to run in some of the big meets and races throughout the country.

Running, though, is not the only thing he is competitive in. Avrit is also very serious student. A Dairy Science major, he eventually hopes to apply his education on his father's farm in Chico. Originally founded by his grandfather, the dairy in a sense has become part of Avrit's lifestyle.

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**Opinion**

**Gerrymandering**

It's sad to say, but the recent actions of three San Luis Obispo County Supervisors are living proof that political gerrymandering can take place at almost any level of government.

County Supervisors Howard Mankins, Jerry Diefenderfer and Steve MacElvaine have created and approved a plan to radically alter County Supervisors district boundaries in flagrant disregard to fairness, unity or the best interests of the public. Like most gerrymandering cases, this plan would result in few winners and many more losers.

The plan is riddled with ploys and flaws that would prevent the fair representation of many county residents and their interests. Atascadero, for instance, would be divided into three supervisors' districts, effectively thwarting the city's political voice.

Similarly, Los Osos and Baywood Park would be divided into two districts, resulting in a dilemma similar to Atascadero's.

In addition, 35,300 citizens would be assigned to a new supervisor whom they did not elect, and it would be one to three years before they could vote on the plan.

The environmental costs to San Luis Obispo could prove costly. Sensitive mountains and water resources important to the city would be taken out of its control, and placed in the hands of Mankins, whose record on support for environmental concerns is questionable at best.

The plan does have one advantage, however. It benefits the political careers of the three supervisors who support it.

Even on the map, the new plan shows up as a blatant gerrymander. Howard Mankins' district would contain nearly 48 percent of all county land, stretching from Atascadero to Nipomo. Meanwhile, Jeff Jorgensen's district would scarcely contain the city of San Luis Obispo, less than 1 percent of the county's land.

Fortunately, the people have stood up and taken notice of these threats. Accordingly, the democratic process flexed its muscles Tuesday when some 10,400 signatures were presented to the county demanding that the plan be repealed or submitted to a vote of the people.

The petitions contained twice the number of signatures needed to force such an action. As County Supervisor Jeff Jorgensen said, "There were a few months that fell open around here."

Thanks to the will of the people, the supervisors are now forced to take action. The Mustang Daily feels the fairest solution would be for the supervisors to appoint an impartial commission of county officials to draw up a new redistricting plan. A petition could provide all citizens with proper representation and protect their vital interests. This would restore a measure of justice to people who have demanded it.

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**Letters**

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The above thought reflects one student's feelings about living in this existential era. Existentialism is a philosophy concerned with an individual's feelings of isolation from his fellow man, from nature and from God.

It also deals with the uselessness of a single life that's here today and gone tomorrow.

Branching from existentialism is a school of thought, "Meism." A Meist puts himself at the center of all events and can never be sure anyone else feels the exact way he does. Whereas existentialism focuses on feelings of isolation, Meism deals with an individual's reaction to his feelings of isolation. Therefore Meism, along with existentialism, is at the core of many illnesses in today's society.

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Another example of this is closer to home at Diablo Canyon. Let's live for today, for tomorrow we fry.

Meism/existentialism is evident in our everyday lives as well. The epitome of a Meist is a thief. A thief thinks only of himself and desires and never realizes that all people have the same basic needs—food, clothing, shelter, love.

This attitude also causes mistrust in people. The other day I examined my trust in people. Several times I asked people to watch my backpack while I was gone for a few minutes. They were all willing to do so. Each time I returned I thanked them, and found nothing missing.

There is hope. A new sense of community campus-wide, city-wide, nation-wide will be needed to dispense with Meism.

What can bind us together in this sense? Certainly humanism won't. With its ideology of putting human reasoning above all else on a pedestal, humanism provokes a failure even before it begins. According to humanism, wars and everything else are due to ignorance and a lack of education. Isn't humanism overrated?

But there's a solution. We don't need an "ism" to correct it, but if this age insists on one, let it be "Godism."

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**The Last Word:**

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A movie aired on NBC while back really touched my heart. The movie was about a man who loved to love and care for people, even to the point of being a fanatic. Story was the name of the man and movie, although I believe this rather "abnormal" person, acted by Tony Randall, could represent many older or "senior" persons. One of the main points impressed upon me from the movie was mothers should love their children even after they are born. The movie was a pilot for a series to air on NBC Wednesdays at 9:30 p.m. Please join me in watching this very touching and emotionally heart-warming show.

Don Fleming

From the pro-love position.