

## 1 RECESS FOR THE DAY

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3 CHAIRMAN JAMES: I sincerely want to thank each and  
4 every one of you who took the time and effort to come out and  
5 offer public comment. I think I speak on behalf of the entire  
6 Commission when I say that that's one of the most important parts  
7 of what we do, is to provide a forum for the public to have an  
8 opportunity to express their thoughts about this very important  
9 issue.

10 For the some 20 of you or so who did not have an  
11 opportunity to speak this evening who were on the waiting list, I  
12 would encourage you to submit your testimony in writing and it  
13 will be forwarded to every Commissioner and will become a part of  
14 the documentation of our work through the Commission. I know  
15 many of you have sacrificed a great deal in order to drive or fly  
16 or take public transportation to get here and we are indeed  
17 grateful for your willingness to do that.

18 With that, we're adjourned until tomorrow morning and  
19 we hope that you will come back and join us then. Thank you.

20 (Meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.)

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