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At its annual October membership meeting on October 29, 2015, the Resort Beach Civic League adopted the following position regarding potential drilling for oil and gas off the Atlantic Coast.

Resort Beach Civic League Position Regarding Off-Shore Drilling

The Resort Beach Civic League joins the Virginia Beach Resort Advisory Commission, the Virginia Beach Hotel Association, the Virginia Beach Restaurant Association, the Sandbridge Civic League, Lynnhaven River NOW, Surfrider Foundation Virginia Beach and other groups in opposing drilling for oil and gas in the Atlantic coastal zone as outlined by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management. Our community stretches approximately 2 miles along the heart of the Virginia Beach Oceanfront that generates a substantial portion of Virginia Beach's 1.4 billion dollars in tourist revenue per year. This position was taken due to the potential risks of off-shore drilling and we would appreciate your consideration of it during your deliberations.

Thank you for your consideration.