Rockin for Joshua Tree

Earth Day

April 22, 2000
Saturday, 7 pm
Festival of Arts
Theater-Palm Springs
2300 Baristo Rd. near Farrell
Tickets (760) 325-6565

Eric Burdon

and the **New Animals**

Karen Monster / James Gurley Band

Eric Neil and the JT Shakers

Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla
Bird Singers and Dancers

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Eagle Mountain MegaDump

Eagle Mountain MegaDump as proposed would be the largest garbage dump in the world at 700 million tons (that's about 15,000 Titanics). It would take 20,000 tons per day for well over 100 years. The four phases permitted don't use the "Kaiser mine's East Iron OrePit", but fill canyons adjacent to Joshua Tree National Park.

The Eagle Mountain MegaDump threatens Joshua Tree National Park, the already threatened desert tortoise, among other native desert plants and animals. Designated wilderness areas will be littered with Southern California's garbage, scarce water resources of the Chuckwalla Valley & Joshua Tree National Park will be depleted, air quality will be degraded with 5,000 tons of air pollution annually and the last remaining designated Class I airshed in the continental United States will be ruined. All for Garbage.

The four (4-1 vote) Riverside County Supervisors decided that the promised garbage money (about $20 million a year if everything goes right?) offsets the liabilities (groundwater and air pollution, train derailments, county infrastructure and road use, etc.), clean environment exploitation, increased train and truck traffic, and all the other uglies of building and hosting the largest pile of trash in the world. All the other permits were dependent on their un-enlightened decision and 'rubber-stamped' according to the plan.

The fight of Eagle Mountain MegaDump has graduated to the Federal Courts. BLM and NPS (the Washington DC crowd) are being sued for giving away OUR land (BLM) to make this MegaDump possible and saying this MegaDump won't IMPACT Joshua Tree National Park (NPS, Wash D.C.) much? There are other issues and defendents, but those are the main two.

All the fundraising efforts go towards the legal fees of defeating this Eagle Mountain MegaDump. This concert is the most enjoyable way possible to donate to the cause.

Other (much needed, appreciated and tax-deductable) donations can be made to:
"CCAEJ" checks marked "Stop the Eagle Mountain Dump" and sent to
Center for Community Action and Environmental Justice (CCAEJ)
P.O. Box 33124,
Riverside, CA 92509 (909) 360-8451

About this Poster;

This is an eight-color Serigraph poster, designed and screenprinted by Idavid GraFicks of Joshua Tree.

All production costs of this poster are donated to the effort to Stop the Eagle Mountain MegaDump.

All information and comments on the back of this poster are compiled and written by David Fick, co-owner of Idavid GraFicks and Executive Director of Desert Environmental Response Team (DERT)

About the Charpieds;

In this decades long fight of common sense and nature's respect vs. lunacy and big money, the names Donna and Larry Charpied have come up often. These jojoba farmers in Eagle Mountain have led the fight against the Eagle Mountain MegaDump. They have done so with the help of many others, they just happen to always be on the frontline and catch the first arrows of derision, deceit and dis-respect. They have the respect and admiration of all the known opponents of Eagle Mountain MegaDump for their talents and tenacity, Rock On !!!

SHORT LIST OF DUMP OPPOSITION

National Park Service, Citizens For The Chuckwalla Valley, Center For Community Action and Environmental Justice, California Communities Against Toxics, Eagle Mountain Landfill Opposition Coalition, Desert Citizens Against Pollution, Desert Protection Society, National Parks Conservation Association, Desert Environmental Response Team, Desert Protective Council, Morongo Basin Conservation Association, Committee for the Protection of Rural Independence, Sierra Club (National), San Diego Chapter Sierra Club, San Gorgonio Chapter Sierra Club, Citizens Clearinghouse For Hazardous Waste, California Attorney General-Bill Lockyer, Jurupa Unified School District, American Lung Association, San Bernardino Valley Audubon Society, Desert Valleys Chapter California Certified Organic Farmers, UCLA Environmental Coalition, Concerned Citizens of the Inland Empire, California Wilderness Coalition, Natural Resources Defense Council, Defender of Wildlife, Environmental Defense Fund, Toxic Assessment Group, California Legal Advocates for Wildlife, Mountain Lion Foundation, Earthlaw, Planning and Conservation League, Conservation Law Project, Southwest Center For Biodiversity, Bay Area Nuclear Waste Coalition, Greenpeace, State Building and Construction Trades Council of Riverside/San Bernardino, AFL/CIO International Union of Operating Engineers Local 12, AFL/CIOBuilding and Construction Trades of California, AFL/CIO, Desert Survivors, Town of Yucca Valley, City of Twentynine Palms, Team Joshua Tree, Yucca Valley Chamber of Commerce, Joshua Tree Chamber of Commerce, Adventure 16 - Outdoor and Travel Outfitters, Riverside County Supervisor Bob Buster, and from all surveys and polls taken, a majority of Riverside County Residents and a majority of California Residents

Performers

TORRES MARTINEZ
DESERT CAHUILLA

MAU-WAL-MAH
SU-KUTT MENYIL

The Bird Singers and Dancers are from Torres-Martinez Desert Cahuilla Tribe. The group has been performing this traditional style of song and dance for seven years. It is called singing (or dancing) "Birds", because the songs tell the story of creation and the way the ancient people followed the migration of the birds to find their promised land.

The Torres-Martinez singers and dancers have performed in many areas of Southern California and Arizona, as well as in various schools in the Coachella Valley to help educate youth on Native Americans. The group is primarily made up of youth, but some of the beginning members are now adults. The elders of the tribe have passed down these traditional songs and dances, and are now passing it down to other Cahuilla youth - just as it's been done for centuries.

The Singers- Michael Mirelez, Gary Resvaloso, Issac Mirelez, Gabriel Mirelez, George Auclair III, Landon Duro and Sonny Franco.

The Dancers- Sienna Wilson, Celeste Mirelez, Monaco Resvaloso, Inez Shambow, Beverly Chihuahua, Naomi Chihuahua, Kateria Saul and Selina Pereyda

Eric Neil and the JT Shakers

The JT Shakers formed during the aftershocks of the 1992 Landers earthquake (7.6) in California. The group is loosely woven around Joshua Tree singer/songwriter Eric Neil and also features singer/guitarist Bob Garcia. Other group members are Sam Sloneker on percussion and Darlene Lester on vocals.

The Shakers were drawn into the environmental debate when the 'big money' decided that our large, lightly populated desert homeland was a perfect place to dump the trash and toxic waste of the western U.S..We have been learning how the third world must feel when big business comes in to 'save' their economy in exchange for the destruction of the environment and the quality of life.

In addition to their other music about life in general, the JT Shakers have become the musical spokesmen of the local environmental movement.

Karen Monster/ James Gurley Band is the most mysterious of the lot. Karen's formerly of the Detroit rock scene and James Gurley's past includes many years with "Big Brother and the Holding Company". They love Rock n' Roll and despise the Eagle Mountain MegaDump.

ERIC BURDON
AND THE NEW ANIMALS

The legendary Eric Burdon and the New Animals are making a stop during their world tour. Eric Burdon's passion against this Eagle Mountain MegaDump is also starting to become legendary. Rock n' Roll Hall of Famer Eric Burdon will be performing with the full complement of "the New Animals" featuring guitarists Dean Restum and Martin Gerschwitz, also on keyboards, bassist Dave Meros and the back-beat of one of the legends of popular music, drummer Aynsley Dunbar.