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I vehemently oppose this proposal, both as a Washington taxpayer & consumer. First because it so obviously interferes with Native American rights & intent. This also reminds me of "managing" the buffalo so livestock ranchers could enjoy use of the land. Good public policy demands denial of this request for control and use of public land without a guarantee of massive payment to the public and posting a bond based on the present & future value of the tidelands. Let's see where that goes! Additionally it's foolish for some growers to be willing to risk a boycott of their product, perhaps All WA St. shellfish & marine products. The growers who support this request should be investigated.