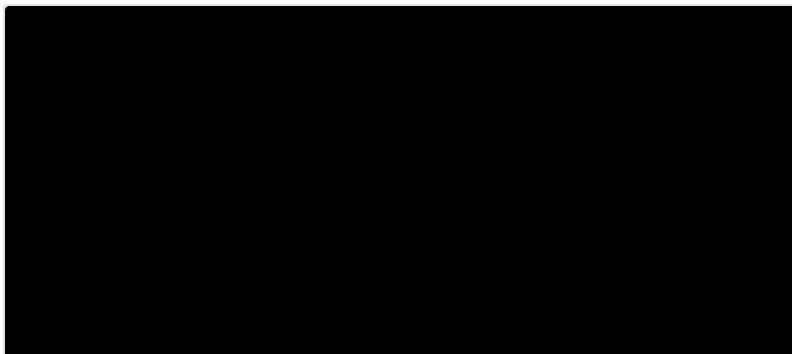


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Hi Stephanie:

I believe the Westrock comment period expiring tomorrow (7/27) should be suspended, then extended when the best research, currently bottled up in the EPA studying industrial formaldehyde as a cancer-causing air pollutant is finally released by the Trump Administration.

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There really is no way for average citizens to provide informed comments back to Ecology, as well as what best in class pollution controls they want to see, without the best science available to them--which incidentally we funded through our tax dollars. We all are sitting within a very large non-attainment area, which has been scaling up Bakken crude and fracked gas projects, which means on a practical level 'background pollution' such as this is not fit for human health. Citizens like myself have been doing our part, by switching out wood stoves, etc., at cost to ourselves. We need polluting industry to do the same, for the sake of our babies and other vulnerable populations.

Alternatively, please give the very broadest scope possible on this EIS, requiring the very best and stringent pollution controls, assuming the linkages to cancer are significant and this is the reason Trump's and Pruitt's EPA has tried to bury the research.

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