

AFFF Collection & Disposal DEIS Public Hearing

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Public Comment #2: Alice Green, Green Party of Washington

- Hello, I'm Alice Green, I'm representing Green Party of Washington. We've been in discussion of PFAS and other endocrine-disrupting chemicals, which are becoming a health hazard. My concern is for first responders and firefighters and their exposure to PFAS, which has increased their cancer rates and some health hazard to them. I would like to know: is incineration the only means for which it can actually chemically change the molecule from PFAS? Also, our concern is for any water seepage and water contamination. I want to let you know that we really appreciate you exploring this comment, I think there are a lot of states that are lagging behind in PFAS remediation. So, first of all, if you could just let me know – is incineration really the only way that the actual molecule can be altered? Thank you.