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I'm writing to support Cooke Aquaculture's creative efforts to continue their mission to grow delicious, sustainable fish in Washington while preserving jobs. Steelhead are a great option for this operation. Farmed Fish are a healthy, affordable source of protein and can safely be produced right here in Washington instead of being imported from other countries. We need local food, and we also need to continue the research to ensure that it can be produced efficiently, and with minimal environmental impacts.