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Re: Kalama Manufacturing and Marine Export Facility Draft Second  
Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement

I have a hard time seeing any rationality for development of this methanol plant, esp. in 2020 with all the environmental problems this is going toacerbate.

Trying to use the inefficiency of other methanol plants as an excuse to build this plant - is not an answer. Upgrade those plants – don't add another plant!

The source is from a pipeline from the tar sands of Canada – the dirtiest oil on the planet.

The plant is being constructed for Chinese plastic! How irrational is that?

What are the chances for an explosion? How about an oil/methanol spill? How about ship wrecks?

All these potential problems for 200 jobs?

The only way this gets passed is “under the table”!

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Cc: Director Laura Watson, Governor Jay Inslee, Senator Maria Cantwell,  
Representative Susan DelBene, Columbia Riverkeeper,