

Prescott City Council

The Prescott, Oregon City Council does not support sacrificing the health, livability, and economic future of our community to a dangerous fossil fuel export project backed by the Chinese Government. Our homes are some of the closest to the proposed methanol refinery less than a mile away. Prescott is home to children and elderly residents, the most vulnerable to health risks from air pollution. The proposed facility would emit more than a million tons per year of climate pollution as part of the manufacturing process alone. The emissions for diesel particulate air pollution would exceed the state's acceptable levels by 5 times. Shipping the methanol to Asia would generate hundreds of thousands of additional tons per year of climate pollution. The refinery would degrade the quality of Prescott Beach and potentially deter new visitors. Despite our proximity, Prescott residents have never properly received notices informing us of the project, denying opportunities to engage in earlier hearings and comment periods. Please protect Prescott from the world's largest methanol refinery.