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Dear Director Watson and Department of Ecology,

I am very concerned about the environmental and climate change implications of the proposed Methano Refinery in Kalama. I believe our society needs to move away from huge fossil fuel projects that perpetuate the use of single-use plastics that degrade our environment when they end up in the oceans. Promoting this refinery is not in the best interests of the citizens of Washington.

Please reject Northwest Innovation Work's proposed methanol refinery in Kalama and deny its Shorelines Permit. I am concerned about climate change and the massive implications of this facility. I also am opposed to the continued proliferation of facilities that create chemicals to make more plastic.

The second Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Kalama methanol refinery clearly shows that this project is a mistake for Washington. Northwest Innovation Works cannot be trusted to mitigate the impacts of this fracked gas refinery.

Please deny this project.