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The Kalama Methanol Refinery must not be built.

Creating any new fossil fuel project is a bad idea. To say that creating the world's largest methanol refinery on the Columbia River is a terrible and dangerous idea is a gross under statement.

NW Innovation Works has been causing deception:

First of all, new fossil fuel infrastructures aren't innovative and NWIW is not from the Northwest, it's a Chinese company.

The Sightlight Institute says the project backers have been contradicting themselves whether the final product would be used for fuel or plastics. (Neither are environmentally conscious or innovative or a worthy investments considering the consequences locally and globally.)

Despite mainstream green-washing, methane/natural gas isn't clean, it's just another fossil fuel. In fact, Methane is a super pollutant. The IPCC recently reported that methane may be as much as 86x more potent at climate disruption than carbon dioxide in the first 20 years in the atmosphere.

Backers of the project say the project will reduce emissions. When the whole supply chain is considered, from drill site to consumption half across the world, it's clear this project won't reduce emission, it will result in a substantial increase.

Backers say that tax payers won't receive the bill. That's false too.

Lastly, one shouldn't believe everything pro-fossil fuel parties and profiteers of fossil fuel projects say about fossil fuel projects being environmentally beneficial or in the public's interest.

You must listen to those who are motivated to support the greater good, not those that are in it for themselves. Don't fall for NW Innovation Work's green-washing or trickery.

Moving forward on any new fossil fuel project is the wrong decision, especially this one.

This project is no different than any other past fossil fuel project proposal that has died in the Pacific Northwest.

This project must not move forward.