

# Washington State Labor Council

Larry Brown. I'm President of the Washington State Labor Council. I'm here in support of the Kalama Manufacturing and Maritime Export Facility. This facility will help reduce global greenhouse gases for products that will be produced elsewhere if we don't produce it here. We know that it'll help sequester carbon in the products that had built, eventually, and then save tons of greenhouse gases. We work on economic development across the state.

One of the problems that our state has is the uneven benefit of the economy, that [inaudible] project that is going to work well for our rural areas of the state, providing jobs, providing for economic activity, provide for local governments and schools. I appreciate you giving me the opportunity to testify tonight and urge your support. Thank you.