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Dear Director Watson and Department of Ecology:

I am writing to ask you in the strongest possible terms not to allow Northwest Innovation Works (NWIW) to build the world's largest fracked gas-to-methanol refinery in Kalama, harming our climate in general and Kalama specifically. We (Washington) should vigorously reject NWIW's proposal. They care nothing at all for our beautiful state and its citizens and are only seeking to profit for themselves at great cost to us.

NWIW misled your agency and the public about the purpose and impact of the refinery. I urge the Dept. of Ecology to dismiss NWIW's deceptive claims and accurately account for the project's upstream and downstream climate pollution.

For Kalama and for our climate in general, the risk of building this monstrosity is simply too large. Please keep our communities safe and healthy, and keep Washington on track to meet our goals for reducing climate pollution. Don't cave in and let NWIW play Washington for a fool.

I strongly urge you to do the right thing and stop this dirty, dangerous fossil fuel export project. It gives Kalama and our state nothing of real substance, but costs us greatly. It's a good deal for NWIW--but a bad deal for Washington.

Sincerely,

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