

Planning and Sustainability Commission

Portland ,Oregon

January 8, 2015

Subject: Proposed Pembina Propane Facility Terminal 6, Port of Portland

Dear Commissioners,

I am strongly opposed to allowing the propane exporting facility to go forward.

I strongly urge the Commission to turn down any amendment of the environmental regulations necessary for the facility to be built.

Propane is a hazardous explosive gas under pressure that is proposed to be transferred from train cars to ships at the facility. Any accidents pose a significant danger to the Port and the public. The large amount of gas to be transfer when burned represents a significant addition to the carbon dioxide released into the atmosphere. This represents a step backward in the fight to reduce carbon dioxide emissions and prevent further climate change.

The Commission should be looking forward instead of backwards in its policies to guide the Port of Portland.

Sincerely,

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