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Subject: No to Propane Export Terminal in Portland

Pembina Pipeline Corporation wants to bring its propane into Portland by rail, liquefy it, and then ship it off to export markets through the Columbia River. This is a bad idea for a number of reasons. Number one has to do with climate. Once we have burned another 500 gigatons of CO₂, we will have increased the average temperature by 2 degrees celsius which is the very maximum we dare allow according to the Copenhagen Climate Accord of 2009. No to any increase or development of fossil fuels! If anything we need to be backing all divestments in fossil fuels, and supporting renewable energy programs!!! Portland champions the environment. Allowing Pembina, which operates Mordor-like tar sands operations in Canada to build a propane facility here is giving them the signal that what they're doing in Canada is ok. It is not!! They are destroying some of the largest forests and poisoning one of the largest lakes in the



world! This cannot ever be ok!!! Portland should in no way condone it!!!!

Finally, a propane facility is dangerous. Moving propane by rail is dangerous. Accidents have happened and will continue to happen and the people and cities are badly damaged by these kinds of accidents.

Do NOT allow Pembina Pipeline Corporation to have and export terminal in Portland!!!!

Thank you,

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