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**Subject:** PSC Fossil Fuel Zoning Testimony: I want a full ban!

Testimony:

It is time to enact a full ban on ALL new fossil fuel terminals in or around the city of Portland. An exception for facilities that allow five million or fewer gallons of dangerous fossil fuels such as the Bakken crude oil must never be allowed.

By using the City's non-conforming review process, it is time to strengthen restrictions on the expansion of existing terminals with binding limits as well as with the strongest safety and climate impacts criteria possible. We know the damage that the mining for and burning of fossil fuels creates to people, for our communities (especially the poorest in the direct impact zones) and for the planet as a whole. It is, therefore, a must that the fossil fuel infrastructure for the city of Portland be limited to what already exists with a future goal of downsizing it and then putting Portland (along with the state of Oregon) on a path to 100% renewables in the coming decades. We chose to retire from the US Army in what we saw as the environmentally progressive city of Portland, OR. We hope the Planning and Sustainability Commission continues along this path of sanity and sustainability for every residents' well being and it begins with a full BAN on fossil fuel terminals.

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