

Dear Sustainability Committee members,

I am writing to express my concerns about the proposed Pembina propane terminal. After seeing the proposed blast radius estimates, I am very worried that siting the Pembina terminal where they want to put it could put my family,, who live in North Portland, at very great risk, as well as putting myself, in West Slope, at a slightly less, but still significant a mount of risk.

I hope you will resist granting a waiver to exempt Pembina from the rules that everyone else is expected to follow, especially when the risk they would be introducing would be so great. We have all seen how often oil and gas (and propane will be either gas or oil, depending on the temperature) can leak from a pipeline, a rail car, or a ship. Given Portland's public commitment to 'green' energy, it's hard to see how you can rationalize granting a waiver that preents a risk not only of pollution, but of physical danger from an explosion, as a likely result of their planned activities.

I hope you will heed the voices of concerned fellow citizens, and fulfill your responsibilities by denying the waiver.

Thank you,

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