

Portland Planning and Sustainability Commission
1900 SW Fourth Ave., #7100
Portland, OR 97201

Dear Commissioners:


This is regarding the proposal for a Pembina Propane distribution site.

Among the many reasons to reject the plan is that such a use of public land flies in the face of the city's mission of sustainability as well as the bureau's climate action plan.

If we humans cannot stop changing our atmosphere, we will all die -- and take uncountable species down with us. Portland must do its part.

But, aside from the obvious. there is also, in the interim, the danger of a propane farm. If there were to be an accident, it could kill thousands of people, destroy their homes and damage or destroy critical habitat, such as Smith and Bybee Lakes, to name just one area. Not to mention the danger and inconvenience of the rail car trains up and down the precious Columbia River.

I'm sure you all know these issues. I urge you to put them front and center when considering your decisions.

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