

Dear Planning and Sustainability Commission,

I am writing to ask you to say NO to the proposed Pembina terminal: It is at odds with Portland's Climate Action Plan, it's a huge potential hazard (an accident waiting to happen in a region waiting for a severe earthquake we are already woefully underprepared for) and this latter concern isn't adequately acknowledged, let alone addressed in Pembina's application.

Living as I do in North Portland, I commute down North Greeley twice a day and contemplate what might happen if any of the already present storage facilities were to rupture. The last thing we need is a facility that at Pembina's own estimate, could create a fireball miles in width, so close to the inner central city. The City of Portland is currently leading the way nationally, and internationally, in addressing climate change - this proposal flies in the face of those efforts.

If I understand correctly, Pembina has stated they will accept a "no" on their proposal - please let them know the citizens of Portland reject this proposal.

Sincerely,

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