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I am very concerned about our environment, and global climate change. As part of that concern, I believe that no shipping of unrefined fossil fuels should be allowed from the Cherry Point area. Although not a member of League of Women Voters, I agree with these points that they have made:

- Extend the interim moratorium on developing industries that would involve shipping of unrefined fossil fuels from existing or proposed docks at Cherry Point (Council Agenda Bill 2019-339);
- The Council should extend the interim moratorium once more, while a more permanent solution is deliberated for use of the industrial land at Cherry Point;
- I urge the Council to seek options for land use at Cherry Point that support economic development for the benefit of our whole community in Whatcom County, providing high-paying long-term jobs while also protecting our ecosystems and our fisheries and tourism industries.

We have only one world. We must be good stewards.

Thank you,
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