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**From:** Stoney Bird [mailto:birdstoney@gmail.com]  
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**To:** Council  
**Subject:**

Dear Councilmembers,

Thank you for initiating a public review process for the Cherry Point Amendments. I am glad that Councilmembers are recognizing the need to prohibit new fossil fuel shipment terminals and to reform the county code so that Whatcom County is empowered to hold existing industries accountable not to increase hazards, and encourage industries to invest in upgrades that reduce pollution and risk while creating jobs. I hope that with careful review, transparent dialogue and public input these amendments will become even stronger. It's only our well-being and the planet's that's at stake.

Thank you for your service to our communities.

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