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Dear Councilmembers,

Thank you for responding to public input and 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 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 careful review, transparent dialogue and public input will make these amendments stronger.

We are in the midst of a major climate emergency and these amendments offer real positive action to protect the environment and our communities.

Thank you for your service to our communities.

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