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**From:** Jones, Dean: [mailto:Dean.R.Jones@p66.com]  
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**To:** Council  
**Subject:** Proposed Cherry Point changes

This is in regard to the proposed changes to the Whatcom County Cherry Point Comprehensive Plan and Code. The language that would restrict **existing** industrial uses at Cherry Point as well as future ones is particularly troubling. While not a mathematician, I was able to make it out of the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade and this does not seem to be a well thought out plan. The impact on existing businesses, the direct and indirect employees and their families would be significant. The living wage jobs provided by these employers support many area businesses, industrial and otherwise. The tax revenue generated also goes a long way to providing much needed services in our county, which would be hard to replace without putting an additional burden on families. Please make the right decision. Thank you, Dean Jones, Ferndale.