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**To:** [PDS Planning Commission](#)  
**Subject:** Opposed to the Cherry point Comprehensive plan  
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My name is Joe Reid and I work at the p66 plant as a contractor. Thank you for the opportunity to send this email in Opposition to the county's proposed changes to the Cherry Point Comprehensive plan and Code. I oppose these proposed changes because they will prevent permit approvals for future projects at the refineries, including Safety and infrastructure upgrades. These upgrades are Vital for my safety as well as others that work in the plants in this area, and to ensure the refinery remains a viable asset and that I keep my employment And income to support my family. I have been in this industry for 23 years I am a father of 5 wonderful children in these 23 years I have seen many upgrades that keep workers and the environment safe. And have not witnessed anything that would put our environment in danger. P66 in Ferndale is in the top 5 of the cleanest lowest emission plants in the world so Please do not kill the refining industry in Whatcom county. These plants do so much good for our economy and local areas. I can't explain enough how unfairly limiting safety and environmental upgrades is to this industry and my safety in these plants. I wish everyone had the opportunity to come and see just how much care goes into ensuring these plants keep the workers and environment safe and clean. I think if they did know there would be no need to limit how the plants Conduct business.

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