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- 4) The project's impact on climate change. This analysis should include climate change impacts from crude oil as well as tar sands oil from cradle to grave.
- 5) The impact of the project's cradle-to-grave CO2 emissions on the viability of the large oyster industry in Washington State.

Sincerely,

Ms. Marilyn Vena 3110 NE 106th St Vancouver, WA 98686-3906 (360) 573-5929

Docket EF-131590

From:

peter.j.goggia@tsocorp.com

Sent:

Thursday, December 19, 2013 3:07 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Tesoro Savage Vancouver Energy Distribution Terminal

Categories:

Teal

Dear EFSEC Commissioners

I am a Tesoro employee from Alaska and am writing in support of the Tesoro Savage Vancouver Energy Distribution Terminal. As a Tesoro employee, I stand behind the company's commitment to safety and the environment. I have firsthand experience of how important safe, clean, and efficient operations are to Tesoro.

This terminal will also contribute to energy independence in the United States. Because of my job, I understand the market demand for moving crude oil to West Coast refineries. This terminal will make the transportation of crude oil from the Bakken and other regions more accessible and reduce the amount of crude U.S. refineries are currently forced to purchase from international sources. By allowing U.S. crude to move through a U.S. terminal to U.S. refineries, Tesoro and Savage are supporting U.S. energy independence and creating U.S. jobs.

I urge the committee to bear in mind the positive impact this terminal will have on the U.S. economy. As a Tesoro employee and an American job holder, my family depends on the strength of the oil and gas industry in the U.S. To keep this project moving forward on a schedule that will allow for its timely approval, please keep the scope of the SEPA environmental analysis purposefully focused on potential impacts from the proposed facility. The scope of the EIS must be limited to those potential impacts directly related to the facility design and operation. I ask that EFSEC consider the following site-specific impacts in preparation of the SEPA Environmental Impact Statement:

- Spill prevention and spill response requirements that protect the environment
- Ability to comply with state and federal air quality emission standards
- Impact of the facility on local transportation infrastructure and public services
- Facility design that meets all relevant safety standards

I am concerned that conducting a SEPA EIS that looks beyond site-based facility impacts is an overreach that could dilute the core focus on this facility. This balanced approach is consistent with Washington's SEPA statutes and regulations and will protect the environment while also ensuring the state's ability to grow its economy.

Thank you for considering my comments.

Sincerely, Pete Goggia

Docket EF-131590

From:	
Sent:	

Nancy Caponi <earthknwr@aol.com>

To:

Thursday, December 19, 2013 4:37 PM EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project

Categories:

Teal

Dear Governor Inslee and Washington EFSEC:

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The public safety and environmental impacts of the state's largest pipeline-on-wheels proposal deserve close scrutiny. For example, EFSEC must assess:

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- •The transportation and public health impacts of additional unit train traffic through communities along the proposed oil-by-rail route. This includes evaluating emergency response capabilities in Vancouver, where oil trains would deliver and store oil, and other communities along the rail and shipping route.
- •The increased risk of an oil tanker spill on Washington State waters and along the shipping route.
- •The project's impact on climate change. This analysis should include climate change impacts from crude oil as well as tar sands oil from cradle to grave.

After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the project, I respectfully ask you to deny Tesoro Savage's application.

Thank you.

Nancy Caponi

Tesoro Savage CBR Public Comment #067

From:

Sierra Club <information@sierraclub.org> on behalf of Janet Rayor

<stiltsinger@gmail.com>

Sent:

Thursday, December 19, 2013 6:28 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Comment on Docket No. EF-131590, Application No. 2013-01

Categories:

Teal

Dec 19, 2013

Mr. Stephen Posner P.O. Box 43172 Olympia, WA 98504-3172

Dear Mr. Posner,

I urge you to recommend the rejection of Tesoro-Savage's proposal.

The public safety and environmental impacts of this proposal need scrutiny. For example, EFSEC must assess:

1)The large oyster industry is already in trouble in Washington State.

The CO2 emissions from trains next to waterways and the threat of spills would likely destroy the industry's viability.

- 2) A large train-related oil spill or explosion along the rail route in Washington and beyond is a real threat. Recent derailment disasters have happened in Lac-Mégantic, Quebec and Alabama. The tragedy in Quebec, highlighted the extreme danger of the same type of oil and tankers that would be traveling through our communities. Forty-seven people died in that explosion and destroyed the town.
- 3) The transportation and public health impacts of additional unit train traffic through communities along the proposed oil-by-rail route.

This includes evaluating emergency response capabilities in Vancouver, where oil trains would deliver and store oil, and other communities along the rail and shipping route.

4) The project's impact on climate change. This analysis should include climate change impacts from crude oil as well as tar sands oil from cradle to grave.

After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the proposed oil terminal, I respectfully ask you to recommend the rejection of Tesoro-Savage's application.

Sincerely,

Ms. Janet Rayor 110 N 87th St Seattle, WA 98103-3608 (206) 706-3322

Tesoro Savage CBR
Public Comment
#068

From:	Andres Garcia < andres.garcia@earthlink.net>
Sent:	Thursday, December 19, 2013 6:45 PM

To: EFSEC (UTC)

Subject: Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project

Categories: Teal

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- The project's impact on climate change. This analysis should include climate change impacts from crude oil as well as tar sands oil from cradle to grave.

After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the project, I respectfully ask you to deny Tesoro Savage's application.

Thank you.

Andres Garcia

Tesoro Sav	age CBR
Public Con	nment
#069	

From:

Georgii Billiris < georgiix@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Thursday, December 19, 2013 7:23 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project

Categories:

Teal

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After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the project, I respectfully ask you to deny Tesoro Savage's application.

Thank you.

Georgii Billiris

Tesoro Sa	_{avage} CBR
Public Co	mment
#070	

From:

Diana Roldán < dianela_2402@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Thursday, December 19, 2013 7:50 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project

Categories:

Teal

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After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the project, I respectfully ask you to deny Tesoro Savage's application.

Thank you.

Diana Roldán

Docket EF-131590

From:

Nancy Wall <nanwll@aol.com>

Sent:

Thursday, December 19, 2013 8:37 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

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Categories:

Teal

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After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the project, I respectfully ask you to deny Tesoro Savage's application.

Thank you.

Nancy Wall

Docket EF-131590

From:

Carl Woestwin <carlherne@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Thursday, December 19, 2013 9:55 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

EIS Scoping comments for Tesoro Savage proposal in Vancouver

Categories:

Teal

Dear

As a community member, I am very concerned about the proposed Tesoro Savage project at the Port of Vancouver. I urge you to fully assess the impacts of this proposal to transport up to 360,000 barrels of oil each day through Spokane, the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area, Vancouver, and other Northwest communities.

I urge you to include in the scoping of this proposal the implications to public safety, environmental impacts, and the health of our communities. These deserve a spotlight in the assessment of the state's largest oil-by-rail terminal proposed. Including,

- * The compounding impact of multiple trains going through communities daily on traffic, community safety, and air quality;
- * The threat of oil spills from trains and marine vessels along the Columbia, the Pacific Ocean, and the Puget Sound;
- * The ability of communities to respond to an oil spill sourced from the Bakken oil fields and the Canadian Tar Sands safely and in a timely manner;
- * The increase in oil tankers and the corresponding increased risk of oil spills throughout Washington waters and beyond;
- * The project's impact on climate change. This analysis should include climate change impacts from crude oil from Bakken to Tar sands, cradle to grave;
- * Safety of crude oil being transported by rail and the risks to communities along the route; and
- * Terminal safety precautions related to the type and source of oil, level of combustion, and air emissions.

Thank you.

Carl Woestwin 9608 25th Ave NE true seattle, WA 98115

Docket EF-131590

From:

LAURETTE CULBERT < MISSBEARCAT@HOTMAIL.COM>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 2:13 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

EIS Scoping comments for Tesoro Savage proposal in Vancouver

Categories:

Teal

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Thank you.

LAURETTE CULBERT 5123 2ND AVE. NW SEATTLE, WA 98107

Docket EF-131590

From:

Andy Kitching < Kitchy123@hotmail.co.uk>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 2:16 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project

Categories:

Teal

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After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the project, I respectfully ask you to deny Tesoro Savage's application.

Thank you.

Andy Kitching

NE16 5JR

Docket EF-131590

From: Sent: Amy Mower <almower@earthlink.net> Friday, December 20, 2013 7:18 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

EIS Scoping comments for Tesoro Savage proposal in Vancouver

Categories:

Teal

Dear

As a community member, I am very concerned about the proposed Tesoro Savage project at the Port of Vancouver. I urge you to fully assess the impacts of this proposal to transport up to 360,000 barrels of oil each day through Spokane, the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area, Vancouver, and other Northwest communities.

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Thank you.

Amy Mower PO Box 2004 Maple Falls, WA 98266

Tesoro Savage CBR
Public Comment
#076

From:	
Sent:	

Patrick Mohn <pdmohn@netzero.com> Friday, December 20, 2013 7:25 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project

Categories:

Teal

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After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the project, I respectfully ask you to deny Tesoro Savage's application.

Thank you.

Patrick Mohn

Docket EF-131590

From:

Sara St. Peter <shena198031@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 8:00 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

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Categories:

Teal

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Thank you.

Sara St. Peter

Docket EF-131590

From:

Rose Gibson <rosebud1013g@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 8:04 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

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Categories:

Teal

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Thank you.

Rose Gibson

Docket EF-131590

Stephen Mattingly < mattingly@uta.edu>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 9:21 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

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Categories:

Teal

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Thank you.

Stephen Mattingly

Docket EF-131590

From:

Barbara Wood <barbara@dobsis.org> Friday, December 20, 2013 10:33 AM

Sent: To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

EIS Scoping comments for Tesoro Savage proposal in Vancouver

Categories:

Teal

Dear

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Thank you.

Barbara Wood 12507 Greenwood Ave., North A402 Seattle, WA 98133

Docket EF-131590

From: Sent: M. M. <obeyoneonly@yahoo.com> Friday, December 20, 2013 10:41 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project

Categories:

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Thank you.

M. M.

Docket EF-131590

From:

Murali Sankaranarayanan <shanka_m@hotmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 11:03 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

EIS Scoping comments for Tesoro Savage proposal in Vancouver

Categories:

Teal

Dear

As a community member,

I urge you to include in the scoping of this proposal the implications to public safety, environmental impacts, and the health of our communities. These deserve a spotlight in the assessment of the state's largest oil-by-rail terminal proposed.

Thank you.

Murali Sankaranarayanan 33737, 56 PL S Auburn, WA 98001

Docket EF-131590

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Sent: Friday, December 20, 2013 11:38 AM

To: EFSEC (UTC)

Subject: Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

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Categories: Teal

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After carefully considering the safety, environmental, and climate risks associated with the project, I respectfully ask you to deny Tesoro Savage's application.

Thank you.

Renee Duncan

Docket EF-131590

Ron Dutra <randa@sonic.net>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 1:50 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

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Categories:

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Thank you.

Ron Dutra

Docket EF-131590

From: Sent: brent womack <ecozen1@yahoo.com> Friday, December 20, 2013 3:01 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

EIS Scoping comments for Tesoro Savage proposal in Vancouver

Categories:

Teal

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Thank you.

brent womack 855 trosper rd sw 108-237 tumwater, WA 98512

Docket EF-131590

From: Sent: Judith Nappe <judikn@mac.com> Friday, December 20, 2013 4:00 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

EIS Scoping comments for Tesoro Savage proposal in Vancouver

Categories:

Teal

Dear

Being forewarned is to be informed. You must act on this. I live in North Bonneville, Washington with the Burlington Northern tracks passing less than 1/4 mi. from my home. I saw the oil cars going by just today. I think at least three of them go by every day. Coal trains go by more frequently.

Stop allowing endangerment of communities near railways. It was a struggle to get railways to keep debris away from the tracks and sparks generated by metal on metal and therefore prevent dangerous fires. Let us not drag it on for years like the debris problem where many destructive fires were caused in the Gorge. The BN tracks go very close to homes in many areas, mine is one of them. Don't let tragedies occur by delaying action on railway safety.

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Thank you.

Judith Nappe PO Box 531 North Bonneville, WA 98639

Docket EF-131590

From:	

Todd Kahovec <toddk0302@juno.com> Friday, December 20, 2013 5:13 PM

Sent: To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project

Categories:

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Thank you.

Todd Kahovec

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Todd Kahovec

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From:

Ulrike Wiedner <uwiedner@thewiedners.com>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 8:42 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

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Ulrike Wiedner

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Harry Hudson harryhudsonjr@hotmail.com

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 7:41 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

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Harry Hudson

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Lorrie Edmonson < nakumigirl@gmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 9:11 PM

To:

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Isa Werny <isawerny@gmail.com>

Sent:

Friday, December 20, 2013 10:25 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

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Isa Werny 1731 NE 98th st seattle, WA 98115

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Sent:	

Leo Mara < ProVega350@GMail.com> Saturday, December 21, 2013 2:03 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

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Leo Mara

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Martha Mason

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Docket EF-131590

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From: Sent: To: Subject:	Martha Mason <mmason@yahoo.com> Saturday, December 21, 2013 4:35 AM EFSEC (UTC) Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed Tesoro Savage oil export terminal project</mmason@yahoo.com>
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AURORA INSURRIAGA <ainsurriaga4432@wowway.com>

Sent:

Saturday, December 21, 2013 7:23 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

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Thank you.

AURORA INSURRIAGA

Tesoro Savage CBR
Public Comment
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Timothy Davis < Rustydog23@yahoo.com>

Sent:

Saturday, December 21, 2013 8:42 AM

То:

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Thank you.

Timothy Davis

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From:

Andrew.S.greene@TSOCorp.com

Sent:

Saturday, December 21, 2013 11:39 AM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Tesoro Savage Vancouver Energy Distribution Terminal

Categories:

Teal

Dear Stephen Posner

I am a resident of Washington and am writing in support of the Tesoro Savage Vancouver Energy Distribution Terminal. The proposed project will receive and ship North American crude oil to US refineries to offset or replace foreign imports and declining production in Alaska and California. This crude oil will be refined in US refineries to help meet the everyday needs of residents and businesses along the US West Coast – including those of the state of Washington. In short, it helps with America's energy security and will bring economic benefits and valuable jobs to our local communities.

As a resident, I believe the safety and environmental reviews are extremely important and will help ensure that this is done safely and responsibly. As such, I would request that the scope of the SEPA environmental analysis be purposefully focused on potential impacts from the proposed facility. The scope of the EIS must be limited to those potential impacts directly related to the facility design and operation. I ask that EFSEC consider the following site-specific impacts in preparation of the SEPA Environmental Impact Statement:

- Risks caused by earthquakes
- Spill prevention and spill response requirements that protect the environment
- Ability to comply with state and federal air quality emission standards
- Protection of Columbia River water quality and fish and wildlife resources
- Impact of the facility on local transportation infrastructure and public services
- Facility design that meets all relevant safety standards

I am concerned that conducting a SEPA EIS that looks beyond site-based facility impacts is an overreach that could dilute the core focus on this facility and have a dampening effect on transportation of other commodities, such as agricultural products, which are vital to the economies of Vancouver, Clark County and the state of Washington.

This balanced approach is consistent with SEPA statutes and regulations and will protect the environment while also ensuring the state's ability to grow its economy. Thank you for considering my comments.

Sincerely, Andrew Greene

Docket EF-131590

From: Sent: Joshua Zwolenik <graffixdizinr@yahoo.com> Saturday, December 21, 2013 12:13 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

Subject:

Reference Application No. 2013-01/Docket No. EF-131590: Please reject the proposed

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Categories:

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Thank you.

Joshua Zwolenik

Docket EF-131590

From:

JOANNA FONG <LILBABIEJO@YAHOO.COM>

Sent:

Saturday, December 21, 2013 3:58 PM

To:

EFSEC (UTC)

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JOANNA FONG