From: franklin@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-11T19:37:10+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Mr. Franklin Eventoff 16120 Park PI Bow, WA 98232-8530 franklin@eventoff.com

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From: catehopkinson@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-11T19:49:15+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: mychloeangel@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-11T19:56:16+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: lindaf121@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-11T19:58:51+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Ms. Linda Freeman 3120 Live Oak Blvd Yuba City, CA 95991-8866 lindaf121@hotmail.com

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From: lulu48@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-11T20:02:39+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Ms. Nancy Lewis 129 N 144th St Seattle, WA 98133-6805 lulu48@comcast.net

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**From:** VIREO53@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T20:03:28+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Mrs. Robin Chan 7206 NE Meadows Dr Vancouver, WA 98662-3653 VIREO53@AOL.COM

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**From:** robinboyerr@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T20:10:12+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I write to you as a concerned citizen expressing my support for responsible clean energy development in WA state. I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, and it is equally vital to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I have a significant concern about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Ms. Robin Boyer 4113 120th PI SE Everett, WA 98208-5348 robinboyerr@hotmail.com

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**From:** marietorget@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T20:23:43+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Mrs. Marie Torget 10842 N Sport Horse Ln Prescott Valley, AZ 86315-9670 marietorget@gmail.com

**From:** chelsealaib@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T20:29:03+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

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From: dagmarfabian@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-11T20:29:06+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

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From: debmerrill2@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-11T20:30:54+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Dr. Deborah Merrill 10630 Culpeper Ct NW Seattle, WA 98177-5320 debmerrill2@gmail.com

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**From:** LFARRAR33@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T20:40:30+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

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From: joanna@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-11T20:59:55+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

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From: i\_svete@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-11T21:02:10+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I have long supported increasing our use of responsible clean energy, especially through the use of small scale distributed solar. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Ms Irene Svete 308 E Republican St Apt 803 Seattle, WA 98102-6805 i\_svete@hotmail.com

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**From:** Therses6@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T21:17:06+00:00 **Subject:** Protect Washington's Resources!

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for RESPONSIBLE clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Best regards, Theresia McLynne Sincerely, Ms. THERESIA McLYNNE 4643 147th PI SE Bellevue, WA 98006-3149 Therses6@aol.com

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From: steevesfamily@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-11T21:23:32+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

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**From:** marjean23@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T21:27:46+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

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From: 243454duncan@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-11T21:37:25+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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**From:** anniethoe@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T21:48:40+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: margiemorgan49@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-11T21:50:26+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a lifelong birder and environmentalist to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Ms. Margie Morgan 11909 SW Cove Rd Vashon, WA 98070-4008 margiemorgan49@gmail.com

**From:** jot1956@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T22:04:24+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Mrs. Jo Turpin 8009 NE 71st Loop Vancouver, WA 98662-3674 jot1956@qmail.com

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From: e-loosli@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-11T22:05:55+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

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**From:** bethtietjen@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-11T22:07:53+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: teechelle24@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-11T22:10:00+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: nandemmler@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-11T22:16:47+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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Subject: HHH Comments - Stand up to Governor Inslee

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Earlier this summer, this board identified and presented a plan to Governor Inslee based on facts and testimony that best suited this unwanted project and its impact to our community and the environment. I strongly encourage you to disregard Governor Inslee's attempt to push his political agenda on you and my community. Stay the course. You are accountable to the citizens of Washington state, not Governor Inslee, to not violate any Washington laws that govern your duty to include local input, adjudication testimony and preservation of the environment in your recommendation our Governor.

- 1. After three years of hearings, public comments, input from affected parties' expert witnesses and the public, EFSEC has made a reasoned decision consistent with other Washington wind projects by reducing the project to reflect protection of the environment and habitat, and have recognized the impacts that the project will have on adjacent populations including fire risk, and visually. Please stand by your decision.
- 2. If EFSEC significantly changes what you have deliberated and approved by majority vote, it will shred the credibility of the EFSEC process and sow further distrust in our state institutions. You have threaded the needle trying to balance the multiple and significant impacts of the "out of place" HHH project. A project of this size does not fit or belong here, and one person should not be able to trump the SEPA process by undoing years of work and millions of dollars spent by state agencies and interested parties.
- 3. We live in the fire shadow of the HHH close proximity and downwind. By restricting the use of aerial firefighting, you are dooming many residences to fire risks to life and property. Ensure that there is enough of a buffer around the project, particularly on the north and east sides, to allow use of large air tankers.
- 4. Where is the precedent in 50 years of EFSEC existence when a Governor has made such a radical and out of touch change to an EFSEC decision?
- 5. The Governor convened a gang of 7, made up primarily of lawyers and state policy experts, and in a period of about 2 weeks erased all of the effort that went into the review of this project. This is not the action of a reasoned man. This is an action of a single man that wants a predetermined outcome. Please reject his demand. He is a lame duck, and will go down in history as doing irreparable harm to Washington with a bias against Eastern Washington. Please do the right thing.
- 6. The Governor's letter focused on the power needs of the State. Unfortunately, he knows just enough about power to be dangerous. First, the project does not commit any renewable energy to Washington electric customers. Second, the "1150 mw of generation" that the governor states as the project size is a fictitious number. The governor conflates generation as energy (megawatt hours) and nameplate (megawatts which is an instantaneous number). In reality, the project will only provide about 25-30% of the nameplate as a yearly average. And in times of need, like the depths of winter when the wind does not blow and the sun does not shine, we can expect only about 10%, or about 100 mw of energy. The governor discusses the reliability of the electric grid, but a project such as this is what will cause grid instability. Weather-dependent renewable energy is not reliable.
- 7. The Governor has ignored eventhe state avian experts regarding the ferruginous hawk mitigations that were deliberated. It appears from the Governor's letter that the only experts he listened to were from Scout. And theirmotive is profit and taking federal and state tax credits. If you backtrack and reverse what you have unanimously decided upon, the EFSEC process will be broken. Go with your original proposed direction.
- 8. The Governor discounts the visual impact. We live in the Benton City area, approximately 1 mile, ~5000 feet, from a wind turbine that will be in full view. If the smaller turbines are used, the top of the wind tower will be on a ridge about 2000' above my residence. When the Governor blatantly directed you to discount visual impacts, he totally ignored the topography of the area. This will be the dominating feature bearing down on my residence.

- 9. The Governor repeatedly returns to the dire consequences without the project. This project will make little to no difference. Washington and the Northwest does have a serious problem resulting from the more recent Climate CommitmentAct and a net zero goal. That problem was caused by an uninformed legislature and a State Energy Policy that reads like a chapter from Alice in Wonderland. It is a man-created problem, and it will eventually be corrected based upon what has happened all around the world when government got involved in the laws of physics. Do not buy the Governor's story about the benefit of the project. Sure, it will help some, but it will be very incremental and very small. Environmental costs out weighbenefits.
- 10. Scout has been disingenuousabout the project from the very beginning. Their lack of transparency has been stunning. They still have not told the parties of their intent. Never, never, never accept an Applicationdone in this manner. They say the worst case scenario was used for impact, but that is not true. The visualizations used the smaller nameplate turbine, rather than the huge and close to the ground rotor span options, which is clearly the worst case scenario from a visual impact.
- 11. <u>Is Governor Inslee a governor, a king, or a dictator? The letter he sent had numerous dictates to EFSEC. To sum up what he did: he did not get what he wanted, so change the project! Has any other Governor made such a sweeping change in an EFSEC proceeding? If you do what the Governor demands, you are setting Washington up for any unscrupulousdeveloper to come in and expect approval for any project they propose, regardlessof the impact.</u>
- 13. The Governor has an intense dislike for this area of Washington from an incident twenty years ago when he was voted out of his congressional seat after one term. How bad does a congressman have to be to be primaried after one term? The reason: he acted contrary to his constituents wishes and did what he wanted to do. He is doing the same to you (EFSEC). He is already a lame duck and it is not yourjob to fulfillhis legacy.
- 14. The EFSEC process needs to be changed. The reorganization performed several years ago did not anticipate that all power would be vested in one man. It was to streamline EFSEC, not give a single person absolute power. Please continue to display the courage you showed in the deliberation process, and formulate your final plan to be equivalent to what you earlier agreedon.
- 15. Through his directive, the Governor focused on the "need" for this project. That topic was not allowed to be a part of he adjudicative hearings and addressed by expert witnesses, so he does not get to use it as a basis for his argument in directing you to change the project to its full build-out capacity.
- 16. The Governor's remedy for mediation for the Yakama Nation's cultural properties and heritage sites is to require the Scout to ensure they have access. Seriously? Once again, the government is trying to shaft the Native Americans.

You have the ethical responsibility to uphold your original decision and deny the mandate from this governor who has deliberately and consistently used his power to destroy the state of Washington.

Stand up and do the right thing. Uphold the integrity of this board and stick with your original decision.

Vicky Keller, Disgusted Washington citizen Kennewick, WA

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**From:** padovan8@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-12T03:26:09+00:00

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**From:** pam\_minelli@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-12T03:55:52+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Endangered Ferruginous Hawks and their habitat

Has attachment? False

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**From:** jmartinson8@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-12T04:17:32+00:00

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**From:** larrymahlis@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-12T04:22:35+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: laughsalot0579@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-12T05:27:16+00:00

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**From:** lenaluvslife@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-12T05:34:43+00:00

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**From:** kknutsonwa@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-12T05:52:28+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

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From: susanirene13@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-12T06:27:30+00:00

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From: lorieji@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T06:51:46+00:00

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From: karalee70@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T08:00:13+00:00

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From: jenniferromans2003@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-12T15:34:45+00:00

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From: galeluriepottery@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-12T15:59:46+00:00

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From: taffy@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T16:15:00+00:00

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From: gogirl315@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T16:15:31+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, Hello, I'm writing to encourage you all to consider the green science based bill. I'm not in support of wind farms as they decimate the bat and bird population. Not only that, they leave longterm impacts with how to dispose of the concrete foot pad and all of the waste products from the windmills. We know now that birds have changed their migration path around the south of Italy and Spain due to their windmill farms. I would like to encourage you to look at small scale nuclear implementation. We now know that nuclear is clean and it's safe. We know that France has been doing it for decades without major mishap. We we need to be science-based and not fear-based. Being a rational green person means that I look at science and not the hype or what the lobbyists want me to hear. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Diane Burke 2069303025 Tacoma, Washington Sincerely, Ms. Diane Burke 620 N L St Tacoma, WA 98403-1759 gogirl315@gmail.com

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From: jeremy.lucas79@everyactioncustom.com

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From: inzone2@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T17:08:05+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: rcwood88@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T18:32:50+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: ddwingert.dw@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-12T19:16:10+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I have lived in Washington since '90, and I've been happy to see the work that the State has done to help protect our wildlife and their habitats. Now I see that Governor Enslee's exit from office is being accompanied by some actions that are detrimental to wildlife. It's time to push back. None of us truly understands the balance of life on this planet. For my view, I believe that the country should be promoting more environmental protections and create jobs to assist in better understanding how to live with our natural world, rather than Space programs. WE can make a difference to our survival on this planet, IF we start learning to live in a way that is conducive to natural environments in which our wildlife thrive. So, this letter drafted by Washington's Audubon, is signed by me, sent to you, in hopes that you listen and act in accordance to the health and habitat needs of our fellow Earth creatures. Please say no to Enslee's directive. Stand up for the birds, their habitats, and their food sources. Audubon's letter: I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the sciencebased restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Kenmore Deborah Wingert 7312 NE 143rd St Kenmore, WA 98028-8304 ddwingert.dw@gmail.com

From: Zimbaz2910@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T19:27:42+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy by supporting the already existing clean energy of our Hydro- Power on the Snake River, the Nuclear energy provided by Hanford Nuclear Plant, and currently proposed small nuclear reactor at Hanford. We Do Not Need Any More Wind Turbines in the Horse Heaven Hills!! In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. There are so many more species of animals in Horse Heaven Hills that also would become extinct. Horned Antelope, Pygmy Rabbits, and the Scrub-steppe landscape to name a few!! I STRONGLY, STRONGLY urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Mrs. Karen Richardson 34704 S Valley Vista Pr SE Prse Kennewick, WA 99338-9429 Zimbaz2910@gmail.com

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From: dodluk@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T19:47:43+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: gloriabaldi55@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-12T20:45:41+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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From: knitalt@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-12T22:52:34+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

Has attachment? False

External Email Dear EFSEC Members, Now in my mid 70's and living my whole life in various areas of western Washington, I have come to love all of its natural beauty, including flora and fauna. It concerns me greatly to see how little most of my fellow citizens see or know of the treasures of our wonderful state. I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Ms. Sandra Serrett 230 SE State Route 3 Shelton, WA 98584-9118 knitalt@hctc.com

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From: ravanderkamp@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-12T23:12:13+00:00

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**From:** lisajunior@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-13T00:27:54+00:00

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From: mason\_dawn@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-13T01:08:06+00:00

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**From:** cmgifford72@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-13T01:46:40+00:00

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From: beckerv@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-13T03:22:40+00:00

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From: ginja69@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-13T06:00:30+00:00

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From: jalee50@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-13T13:57:23+00:00

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**To:** Comments@efsec.wa.gov **From:** fh@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-13T18:04:56+00:00

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**From:** WingardJL@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-13T19:50:38+00:00

Subject: Protect Washington's Biodiversity and Cultural Resources

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External Email Dear EFSEC Members, We are concerned citizens supporting energy development that does not involve burning fuels that add CO2 to our atmosphere. Protecting our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage is key to the effort of reducing emissions that heat our globe. We remain concerned about impacts on cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following our governor's directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. We strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering our comments. Sincerely, Mrs. Lucinda and Donald J Wingard 3604 121St Street Ct NW Gig Harbor, WA 98332-8962 WingardJL@hotmail.com

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From: deneec@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-13T20:31:23+00:00

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**From:** jskanderson@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-13T21:32:05+00:00

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External Email Dear EFSEC Members, Audubon provided these words, and I wholeheartedly agree with them, so I'm passing them on to you. I also want to say that saving life on Earth means EVERYONE INCLUDING THE NON-HUMANS WHOM WE FREQUENTLY DISREGARD TO OUR DETRIMENT WHEN PLANNING THINGS ALL THE TIME!!!! (See the "debate" about not murdering wolves and mountain lions for fin and profit at the WA State Fish and Wildlife Commission.) I am writing as a concerned citizen to express my support for responsible clean energy development in our state. While I recognize the urgent need to reduce our reliance on fossil fuels and combat climate change, it is equally important to protect our state's biodiversity and cultural heritage. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I am concerned about the potential impact to cultural sites, priority habitats, habitat corridors, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk that would result from following his directive. These resources are essential to maintaining the ecological and cultural integrity of our state, as highlighted by recent investments in biodiversity. EFSEC is under pressure to compromise critically important recovery efforts for a state-endangered species. It is crucial for EFSEC to uphold the science-based restrictions put forth in your April 29 recommendation to the Governor. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. I strongly urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Mrs. Judith Anderson 3636 S D St Tacoma, WA 98418-6812 jskanderson@earthlink.net

**From:** becky@everyactioncustom.com **Received:** 2024-07-13T21:39:52+00:00

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External Email Dear EFSEC Members, I support for responsible clean energy development in our state; however, I believe we should protect our state's cultural cultural heritage which includes biodiversity. In reviewing Governor Inslee's May 23rd Letter of Direction to EFSEC, I believe his directive could negatively impact cultural sites, habitats, and species such as the Ferruginous Hawk. I urge EFSEC to adhere to its original, science-based recommendation, which aligns with the principles of both responsible clean energy development and biodiversity conservation. Achieving clean energy goals should not come at the expense of our state's valuable cultural and biological resources. Thank you for considering my comments. Sincerely, Person Rebecca Durr 2703 Riverview Dr Aberdeen, WA 98520-1548 becky@durrweb.com

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From: gomez.patricia215@everyactioncustom.com

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From: dennisbahr@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-13T22:35:05+00:00

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From: dougsantoni@everyactioncustom.com

Received: 2024-07-14T00:34:07+00:00

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From: toxothurston@everyactioncustom.com

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From: mbaltin@everyactioncustom.com Received: 2024-07-14T03:22:38+00:00

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