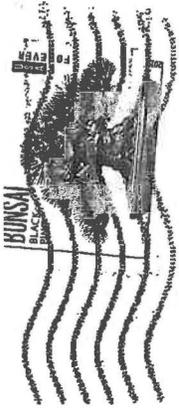


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September 19, 2013  
Millennium Bulk Terminal-Longview EIS  
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Re: Scoping comment on the Millennium Bulk  
Terminal in Longview, WA.

Dear Co-Lead Agencies – Army Corp of Engineers, Washington Dept. of  
Ecology and Cowlitz County Commission:

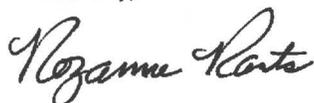
The development of a bulk terminal for loading coal onto ship at  
Longview cannot be justified by any reasonable argument. There is no  
comparison between a rather small number of permanent jobs to the  
burning of 44 million tons of coal annually. The burning of coal,  
especially in China's antiquated coal-burning facilities, cannot be  
measured on any comparable scale.

We cannot continue to look back and shape the present from the view  
of the past. If we look to the future, using all the sciences that apply to  
decisions, we can make decisions that will lead to a livable future.

The argument that coal shipments will be made from other U. S. ports if  
not from Longview's port is a specious one. Coal power does have many  
uses, but it is evident that we cannot continue to pollute the air and the  
sea with increased amounts of Co2. Other sources of energy must be  
developed. In addition, there is clear evidence that the coal market in  
China will not be strong for long.

Being a lifelong resident of Washington State I am particularly  
concerned about the acidification of the oceans that is already affecting  
sea life in our state.

Sincerely,



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