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**To:** Lauren Whybrew  
**Subject:** Comment on Notice #23NOC1606

I am writing you after reading your approved preliminary application for the proposed wood pellet production plant in Hoquiam. I am appalled to discover the total lack of scientific facts in this project application associated with detrimental air quality impacts caused by this project proposal on local, regional, and global air quality. ORCAA has a long way to go in recognition of serious/viable threats to our air quality; especially on the heels of the recently announced fact that 2023 was the hottest year on record and that 2024 is on track for the same factual outcome in large part due to the explosive development of industrial sources of atmospheric pollution such as this pellet plant and ALL of its attendant air polluting source points (many of which are not even addressed) in your permit approval.

I ask you to reconsider your permit approval of this project by unconditionally denying this application WITH PREJUDICE. It is ludicrous to imagine that such a proposal could ever get this far in your screening process given the wealth and breadth of widely-known and accepted causal facts governing our diminished air quality.

Sincerely,

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