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Dear Commissioners,

I am concerned about climate change and the pollution caused by burning fossil fuels. Please ask PSE to close all Colstrip coal plants by 2025 and replace them with 100% renewable energy.

The above statement is a succinct summary of my opinions. We need to move more quickly toward reliance on renewable energy sources. It seems to me that the huge fossil fuel industries are willing to sacrifice our environment and citizens to wring out every drop or bit of hydrocarbon on the planet. As businesses, their purpose is to make money. Their greed has gotten us to the place we are. Our planet is in jeopardy, as are all of us trying to live here. We need strong oversight of PSE because they are serving two "masters"- the public and their parent business(es) who want to make money. I think they need to accept taking less money from the public trough. And if this is unpalatable to them, think how we consumers feel about being asked to accept something like fracking. As a consumer, I am willing to conserve more and pay more while we make the transition to renewable energy- but at a pace much quicker than PSE is suggesting.

Thank you for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

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