

BEFORE THE STATE OF WASHINGTON
ENERGY FACILITY SITE EVALUATION COUNCIL

In the Matter of)
GRAYS HARBOR ENERGY CENTER) Public Hearing
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A Public Hearing in the above matter was held on Tuesday, November 9, 2010, at the Grays Harbor County Administration Building, 100 West Broadway, Commissioners Meeting Room, in Montesano, Washington at 6:30 p.m., before the Energy Facility Site Evaluation Council.

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CHAIR LUCE: Today is November 9, 2010, and we are here to take public comment with respect to the PSD Permit Application for Grays Harbor Energy Center.

Staff, do you have a report? Any recommendations? Do you have anything to say, staff?

MR. LA SPINA: No, sir.

CHAIR LUCE: The purpose of this evening's meeting is to take public comment. We've previously announced the proposal to issue this permit. Is there anyone here from the public who would wish to comment?

Yes, please. Speak up.

COMMENTS BY TERI FRANKLIN

Good evening. My name is Teri Franklin. I live

1 at 397 Powers Creek Road, and my mailing address is P.O. Box
2 462, McCleary, Washington.

3 The reason I'm here tonight is that I looked
4 through your notice of public comment opportunities, and I
5 have some questions. I got this information, and before I
6 do my written comments I'd like to get these questions
7 answered and I will do a letter to you.

8 One of the things that I noticed is that in the
9 pollutants discharge it doesn't tell me how much particulate
10 matter that's 2.5, the PM2.5. You've got the PM10, but in
11 the actions portion of it you say that there's going to be
12 particulate matter less than 2.5 micrometers, and so I
13 wanted to know how much of that was or if that was a mistake
14 here or here.

15 The other thing is that you guys talk about the
16 pollutants on the soils in the vegetation in Class 1 areas.
17 Well, it's my understanding we're talking like federal areas
18 like Mount Rainier, the Olympics. I would like to know what
19 kind of pollutants are going to be landing right here on me
20 on my area? I don't care about Class 1 and Class 2, and I'm
21 not worried about visibility. I'm worried about what's
22 going into my garden soils, what's going into the feed that
23 my animals are eating, that kind of thing. That's what I
24 would like to see. That is what I would like to know.

25 Before you make a decision I would like to be

1 informed what kind of pollutants are actually -- I know that
2 when we did this with the Duke Energy I came and spoke. I
3 understand that it's going to increase the likelihood of
4 asthma in my area, and there were several other breathing
5 respiratory things that came out. So I'd like to see that
6 in this statement. Hopefully I will find some of that
7 information when I get to read the rest of this stuff.

8 But those are my concerns. Not how it's going to
9 affect the federal lands, but how it's going to affect the
10 immediate vicinity as far as pollution of our soils. We
11 have organic farmers here, especially in this area, and I
12 just want to know how that's going to affect all of us that
13 are doing that kind of thing.

14 CHAIR LUCE: Thank you.

15 MS. FRANKLIN: You're very welcome.

16 CHAIR LUCE: Any other comments? Any other
17 comments?

18 Hearing no other comments, the public comment
19 session will close at this point in time, and we will be
20 responding to comments in writing.

21 MS. FRANKLIN: All right. Thank you very much.

22 CHAIR LUCE: Thank you very much.

23 MS. FRANKLIN: We can just go home now?

24 CHAIR LUCE: You can go home.

25 (Public Hearing was adjourned at 6:39 p.m.)

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I, Shaun Linse, CCR, do hereby certify that the foregoing transcript prepared under my direction is a full and complete transcript of proceedings held on November 9, 2010, in Montesano, Washington.

Shaun Linse, CCR 2029