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February 18, 2014

Mr. Ron Melin Senior Environmental Planner Cowlitz County Building & Planning 207 4th Ave. North Kelso, WA 98626

Regarding: Columbia River Carbonates Marine Terminal Project

Dear Mr. Melin,

The Woodland Public School Board of Directors is in unanimous support of the proposed Columbia River Carbonates (CRC) marine terminal. CRC has been in business in Woodland for 28 years, and has been a positive, invested member of the Woodland community during that time.

The Board recognizes the contribution CRC makes to this community by providing 60+ family wage jobs. Additionally, they make a significant contribution to the Woodland tax base. The loss of CRC to the community of Woodland would have a significant negative impact on this community.

The Woodland Public School Board voted, at their February 10 meeting, to support the CRC application for a marine terminal on the Columbia River. On their behalf, I urge you to give favorable consideration to their application.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely

Michael Z. Green, Superintendent

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