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To: arusko@arlington.gov
Subject: **HOT DIP GALVANIZING PROCESS PLANT PROPOSAL**

I WOULD HOPE THAT ARLINGTON OFFICIALS HAVE GOOD MEMORIES OF WHAT HAPPENED IN EVERETT SEVERAL TIMES IN THAT CITIES PAST.

A COMPANY CALLED ASARCO OPERATED A SMELTER IN NORTH EVERETT ABOUT 1895-1915 AND THEN CLOSED. IN EARLY 1990'S IT WAS DISCOVERED THAT THE AREA ABOVE THE FORMER SITE WAS AN ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARD WITH ARSENIC AND LEAD. THEIR WERE ABOUT 500 HOMES WHOSE YARD SOIL WAS IMPACTED. ASARCO DECLARED BANKRUPTCY. COURT SET UP A CLEANUP FUND. AS I RECALL ONLY ABOUT 400 HOMES WERE CLEANED UP BEFORE FUNDS RAN OUT. I DO NOT REMEMBER WHAT HAPPENED TO THE OTHER 150 HOMES OR WHAT THE MEDICAL SITUATION FOR THE PEOPLE IMPACTED.

A MORE RECENT ONE IS THE SOUNDVIEW PULP/SCOTT PAPER/KIMBERLY CLARK SITE THAT IS STILL BEING CLEANED UP.

NEEDLESS TO SAY I AM AGAINST THIS PROPOSED PLANT. PLEASE REMEMBER IT ISN'T ONLY THE POTENTIAL SHORT TERM BUT ALSO THE LONG TERM IMPACTS.

THANK YOU FOR CONSIDERATION OF THIS INFORMATION.

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