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Dear Governor I ask that you take in consideration the opinions of the majority of residents who live here and who will be directly impacted by this project. I ask that you consider those who have spent the last 5 years of their lives on hold pursuing their dream of tranquility and prosperity to build on their properties. It is common knowledge that these projects will deplete equity to adjacent properties. We are fearful to live adjacent to lithium battery storage facilities in a Wildland already known for wildfires. There has been a handful of public comments where it has always been the majority and adjacent landowners that oppose this project. The Democrat Party that you represent accuses our President of being a Monarch yet, iKlickitat County are now relying upon one man to make a decision that the majority of our residents oppose. Records show those who have attended public comment sessions on this project a majority have opposed it. I ask that you research the fire that happened in Moss Landing CA. Before you make your decision. Ask yourself if you are prepared to handle such an event if it were to happen while you're Governor. It is very likely that you will have a wildfire in this region. It has been nearly every year since I started living here that a wildfire has been in this area. I live in a area that would be considered a urban growth area. If our county had updated their comprehensive plan which is over 40 years old, we would see that it is not an area that should house a project like this. It could be detrimental to our struggling economy and growth. This region just outside of Goldendale would be subjected to unknown toxins if a wildfire were to occur. Just like the residents of Moss Landing who still report tasting metal from a fire that occurred in February 2025. Surely you are aware that we rely upon a critical access hospital that is not prepared to handle such events. We live in a region known for high winds. Goldendale or anywhere near the Columbia Gorge is not a safe region for these projects. Again research the Moss Landing Fire that happened earlier this year. Lithium battery storage facilities are dangerous because they burn and can't be extinguished without chemicals. These fires have unknown impacts to human life ,animals, the environment and are unpredictable. I ask that you consider the opinions of the majority and the safety risks that you will be placing on our residents and possibly others who may have to deal with a wildfire at this huge project just outside of Goldendale. Rocel Dimmick

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Q6. Upload a picture (optional)	https://s3-us-west-1.amazonaws.com/ehq-production-us-california/d503c7968ed6eaf3aca38a0d5939db6cbd9b3778/original/1750341222/40a1a416bd12939d0ae9df0db2e75fcc_IMG_0539.jpeg?1750341222
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