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I oppose the Windy Gap Firing Project

Please see attached letter

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Will Tully  
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Dear Mr. Tully,

I would like to go on record as opposing the Windy Gap Firming Project for the following reasons:

1. Existing diversions have already caused negative environmental impacts. Additional diversions will only make things worse.
2. The Windy Gap draft EIS does not commit to mitigating negative impacts.
3. The diversion is unnecessary. If the municipalities asking for this diversion instituted comprehensive water conservation programs the water could be left in the river.

Thank you for your consideration

Jon Westerlund