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## POLA PUBLIC HEARING FOR PLAINS ALL AMERICAN PIPELINE

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My name is Frank Herrera a long time resident and activist in the town of Wilmington and I would like to pledge my support for the Plains All American Pipeline project designed for Pier 400 - Berth 408

I am a member of PCAC with voting powers and a member of the Port Committee for the Development of the Wilmington Waterfront also with voting powers. We joined forces with David Wright several years ago who at the time laid out the plans for a facility that would handle incoming crude oil from all parts of world. Renderings showed that it was designed for Pier 400 at berth 408.

We were informed that it would be Environmentally Friendly and that all the Safety Standards would be applied to the operation of such a facility. Double hulled ships, with all precautions for the possibility of oil spills would also be covered.

Such an operation seems to indicate that it could be granted the go ahead passage and construction.

Respectfully submitted

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