

Dear Mr. Steve Wright

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I have worked for Inताल Alcoa works for 28 yrs. I have seen the loss of jobs in the last two years. Please help save the jobs of Aluminum workers in this state. These jobs are family wages in area where good paying jobs are hard to find. The industry provides hundreds of thousands of dollars in tax revenues. These dollars will be difficult to replace. The high prices of power are causing entire industries to shut down. The Northwest can't afford to lose these jobs. Basic industries has supported this state for years. These companies are the backbone of many small towns. They support the community & the economy as a whole. Everyone will be impacted if we lose more industry. Please support aluminum industry proposals that provide a fair & equitable way to keep jobs in this state & our industries up & running. Don't sacrifice long term economic health, for lower energy bills in the short term. Don't push more industry out of this state, like we did to Boeings.

Sincerely  
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