SO MANY PEOPLE ARE AGAINST ROBERTS BANK TERMINAL 2

WILL THE GOVERNMENT LISTEN?

A multitude of voices – including scientists, ecologists, NGOs, community members, biologists, waterfront workers, some Indigenous leaders and municipal leaders like City of Richmond and City of Delta – all urge the Government to reject the Port of Vancouver’s flawed RBT2 project.

This flawed expansion project will disrupt important marine ecosystems by building a massive, artificial island (about 100 football fields) in the heart of the Fraser River estuary, impacting more than 100 species of concern and creating a species level risk to Western Sandpipers and other shorebirds. Environment and Climate Change Canada says the damage from RBT2 is unmitigable and will be “permanent, irreversible, and continuous.”

RBT2 creates economic risk for Canadian taxpayers and does nothing to address the actual challenges of our supply chain infrastructure.

Will the Government listen to the science, the facts, and the people? It’s time for the Government to #RejectRBT2.

RBT2 OPPOSITION

- ILWU Canada (International Longshore and Warehouse Union)
  - Councillors in the City of Delta
  - Councillors in the City of Richmond
  - David Suzuki Foundation
  - Birds Canada
  - Roger Emsley, Tsawwassen and a transportation industry consultant
  - Raincoast Conservation Foundation
  - Against Port Expansion in the Fraser Estuary BC
  - Vancouver Unitarians
  - Washington State First Nations including: Tulalip, Wuxut, Lummi Nation, Suquamish Tribe
  - Environment and Climate Change Canada scientists
    - Ecoculture
    - BC Nature
    - Nature Vancouver
  - Susan Jones, long-time resident of Tsawwassen
  - Green Party of Canada
- Canadian, US and international scientists with study areas that include the Fraser River Estuary, salmon, and/or Southern Resident killer whales. Scientists include:
  - Ken Ashley, PhD, Director, Rivers Institute, British Columbia Institute of Technology
  - Richard Bailey, MSc, Retired scientist, former Program Head for Chinook and Coho Assessment, Fraser and Interior Area, Fisheries and Oceans Canada
  - Lisa Challinor, PhD Candidate, Beam Lab, University of Victoria
  - Nick Gaynek, PhD, Fishery Ecologist, Wild Fish Conservation
  - Deborah Giles, PhD, Research Scientist, Wild Haida
  - Laura Kahoe, PhD, Post-Doctoral Fellow, University of Oxford
  - Robert Lacy, PhD, Senior Conservation Scientist Emeritus, Chicago Zoological Society
  - Tara Martin, PhD, Professor, Lake St Clair Chair of Conservation, University of British Columbia
  - Jonathan Moore, PhD, Professor, Liber Ero Chair of Coastal Science and Management, Simon Fraser University
  - Paul Paquet, PhD, Adjunct Professor, University of Victoria
  - Marvin Ross, PhD, Instructor, British Columbia Institute of Technology
  - Jack Stanford, PhD, Retired, Former Director/Professor Flathead Lake Biological Station, University of Montana
- Experts including:
  - Aaron Hill, MSc, Executive Director, Watershed Watch Salmon Society
  - Aasen Jorgenson, BSc, Salmon Biologist, Wild Fish Conservation
  - Adrian Tuch, MSc, Salmon Biologist, Wild Fish Conservation
  - Chris Dietrich, PhD, Professor, University of Victoria
  - Daniel Schindler, PhD, Professor, School of Aquatic and Fishery Sciences, University of Washington
  - David Bradley, PhD, BC Director, Birds Canada
  - Jamie Glavine, MSc, Director of Science and Research, Wild Fish Conservation
  - Jim Lichter, MSc, Fisheries Scientist and author
  - Julian Olden, PhD, Professor, University of Washington
  - Mary Tait, PhD, Director, Boundary Bay Conservation Society
  - Monica Wieland Shields, BSc, Director of the Orca Behavior Institute
  - Otto E. Langer, MSc, Fisheries Biologist, Fraser River Predation and VACOR Societies
  - Riley Finn, MSc, Saltas Ecosystem Research Technician, University of British Columbia
  - Roni Tomura, PhD, Biologist and Projects Coordinator, Birds Canada
  - Simon D. Varley, BSc, Conservation Coordinator, BC Nature
  - Steve J. Cooke, PhD, Professor and Institute (Director), Carleton University
  - Ian MacIntyre, PhD, Professor and Institute (Director), Carleton University
- And many, many more