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Professional Engineers of Oregon "Opposes"

No justification is given for why plastic conversion or depolymerization facilities should be banned in Oregon, rather than regulated like other potentially polluting industrial facilities. The plastic needs to go somewhere; reusing the materials is better than putting it in a landfill. "Conversion" is NOT "incineration." There are many instances of hazardous materials being used safely in Oregon.