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So has anybody measured the air quality and figured out what the components are, ie diesel fuel from train engines, factories, cars, trucks, etc? How the wind currents are effecting the air and from what directions they blow? From what distance are the air polutions coming from, Washington, Idaho, Pacific ocean? How much analysis has been done regarding this? From what I have read most polutants are from mother nature, in fact she is the worst contributor. We have forest fires from July until maybe the middle of September maybe longer in Montana, not including Idaho, California, and we also have the effects of volcanos.

Air quality should be checked from locations from all over the county/country and their determinations should also include the components of what that air quality is. In this day and age seeing as people are trying to feed, clothe and care for their family and keep their job and not be layed off or have loss of job, your proposal would hurt more than help. I would like to be involved in future meetings as I feel this is something that the public should know about. This should not be a secretive action.

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