

## *Citizens Against Newport Silicon Smelter*



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The Citizens Against the Newport Silicon Smelter, CANSS, would like to clarify our mission and publicly state our intentions and goals.

CANSS defined mission is to stop the silicon smelter. We will do everything legally within our means to accomplish this. Through the generosity of donations, we have retained Norm Semanko for legal counsel. He has specified to CANSS and its members to stay focused on stopping the smelter. We are glad to work with other groups and individuals that are also against the smelter. Any actions or intentions from other groups and individuals that do not pertain directly to stopping the smelter are their own agenda. As we have stated, CANSS only mission is to stop the smelter.

CANSS is not against growth, in fact, we encourage growth that is not detrimental to the populace or environment. It is the clean air, clean water and rural way of life that draws people to this area. There is a large contingency that feels a smelter would destroy this. CANSS is the voice of these people.

CANSS has a website, [www.canss.org](http://www.canss.org), that clearly states our official stance on the subject. This website is edited with the approval of the board.

CANSS also hosts a Facebook page for public awareness that is monitored closely. Our Facebook administrator oversees keeping the posts strictly focused on stopping the smelter.

Thank you. Feel free to contact the CANSS board.

Respectively Submitted;

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