

As I'm watching testimonies live, I want to thank you all for hearing everyone out, and much more respectfully than was done the other day, with the rude comments, that were made within the capital while the rally was going on. I very much agree SOMETHING needs to be done to address climate change, however I do not believe this bill is going to be the answer. I feel like this is just another tax that will line pockets, while taking away jobs, damaging our forests due to not being maintained, and further damage our eco system, when those forests catch on fire solely due to not being maintained. The loss of wildlife, forests, and potential lives is way to great of a risk to take, simply for our government to be able to freely take more of our money. We're a single income family with 4 young children, and we already end up paying state even more then they take trough out the year, every tax season, it hurts us and our ability to provide for our children as is. Yes I want my kids to grow up with clean air, however the loggers, farmers etc. that are most affected by this bill, are the ones that do the most to make sure that will happen. Please let people vote on this bill! There's several in support of it, and several against it, let the people decide, because despite comments of it being "to complex of an issue to be put to vote" we elected all of you, we were smart enough to have a say in wether you got a seat in office or not, we are smart enough to decide if this bill is what we want or not, and I very firmly feel like the only reason it's not being put to vote, is because you guys know it's a bad bill to begin with. If it was a good bill, you'd have no worries about it passing.

Thank you for your time,  
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