Members of the committee:

I am writing to state that I oppose the new cap and trade legislation. Not only is it harmful to many small businesses without making enough impact on total ghg emissions, but it is wrong not to allow a public vote on something that will impact all Oregonians to the degree that this will. In low income areas, this will literally take good out of the mouths of families.

I urge you to come up with an incentivized plan that won't hurt small businesses and force low income families out onto the streets.

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