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Hi there, my name is Kylie Warfield for some background on myself. I am a freshman at Toledo Jr. Sr High School I am a fourth generation logger and a fifth generation trucker. After high school I plan to help take over the family businesses and continue to build our truck fleet. As I hear more and more about this new law on cap-and-trade. It horrifies me to see that our state leaders don't look for the easy less harmful solution instead, our "leaders" are looking to keep throwing more and more taxes at the hard working oregonians. It is easy to see that Oregon is one of the most selfish states. Timber Unity proposed our states governor Kate Brown with a clear solution. They asked why we don't plant the fifty million trees instead of raising costs of living? It is a proven fact that young trees will help control the Co2 input/output and will keep oregon one of the greenes states.

Several questions I have asked myself time and time again are..

-If we are one of the greenest states, why are we making such a fuss over this?

-Why doesn't the public get a vote on this?

-What is the point in a public hearing if the only people that are going to be listened to are the ones for it?

-what am i going to do when my plans after high school change because there are no business's to continue and none of the logging or trucking industries left?

Im fourteen years old, a freshman in highschool, and by all means i am not dumb! I see what Oregon is trying to do and they need to see both sides of the bill. Use my highschool as an example you can't walk around the parking lot without seeing tumberunity stickers all over cars, almost every day you see a timber unity hoodie on the backs of students. We are high school students that see the harm you people are causing to our state.

I am baffled to hear when kids supporting the bill are bussed to the capital to tell you all how great you are, when the kids coming are not even going to be affected by the bill. I'm sorry to tell you but you don't care for anybody but yourselves. There are kids less than a few hours away that will stand in front of all of you and tell you our lives and show you that you really are not that great. You're going to ruin so many people's lives. I've grown up in a logging and trucking world and to hear when you're going to put us into retraining makes me want to cry.

When will you open your eyes and see the kids and families that will be affected by this and the kids that want to do what their parents do but we can't because you won't let us be heard. What are you going to do when the oregon coast is a ghost town because you "leaders" ranus out of oregon.

Let that sink in understand what you're really doing. Plant the 50 million trees then

start worrying about things that really matter we are a green state because we take care of our forest and we log and replant it's that simple without logging there will be an increase in wildfires, maybe not right away but over time there will be. Do what's right, listen to all sides, not just the ones you want to hear.

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