

My concerns for HB 4167 are as follows;

There is no transparency in this bill. The public is not able to see where a bulk of these dollars raised will go. There absolutely needs to be transparency and accountability for the dollars raised.

There is no emergency regarding climate change. There is no need for an emergency clause. Also my understanding is there can not be an emergency clause on revenue raising bills.

The people of Oregon are most definitely smart enough to understand this bill. Let us vote.

Cap and Trade is going to drive up utility prices and gas prices. This will hurt working Oregonians who struggle to pay monthly bills already.

Most of the carveouts/concessions only benefit special interest groups and do little to protect rural Oregon.

Timber Unity has a 4-point plan to address carbon issues without a tax...pass that now. Quit taxing the working class into the working poor.

County Commissioners from 23 counties have voiced their concern and opposition to Cap and Trade.

It's a huge change in how Oregon does regulations related to transportation and manufacturing and natural resources - the people deserve the right to vote - refer it to the people.

I personally would like to see some proof that this bill would actually help the environment. The only thing I see benefiting is investors lining their own pockets and because of the secrecy in the bill, the people of this state won't be allowed to see where THEIR money goes! Without a comprehensive impact analysis this is a dangerous bill to pass.

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