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I am writing to express my strong support for the provision of incentives to assist gas powered leaf blower users to transition to battery powered options. Gas powered leaf blowers cause excessive noise emissions, disruptive to community members statewide. They create excessive greenhouse gas emissions. They are harmful to workers who are exposed to noise decibel levels exceeding usual safety standards and toxic fumes. The time has come to evolve to better ways to tidy parks, sidewalks and yards. Support like this from Oregon will facilitate such a transition in a fair and equitable manner.

Thank you!

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