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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment

Measure: HB2215

Testimony on HB 2215

Chair and committee members:

I testify in opposition to HB 2215.

Waste is a terrible thing to mind. Nuclear waste is uniquely terrible and we're doing a poor job of minding it, at all levels of government.

HB 2215 is one of the most negative bills I've seen in the 5 decades I've lived in Oregon, during which entire time I have worked at both local and state levels of government, as well as participated as a citizen testifying to the Legislature.

In its rampant negativity it does nothing to protect Oregon and its citizens. On the contrary, this self-serving bill asks Oregon citizens to remove established and reasonable protections against the unique harm nuclear power generation can produce from its operations, whether or not accident-free.

I struggle to understand the motives of the bill's sponsors, other than they are living in a pro-nuclear dream — er — nightmare world.

Please cancel this bad idea.

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