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On Behalf Of:

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Measure: HB2396

I OPPOSE HB 2396

It frustrate me watching the legislature year after year listening to the same problems that were addressed in previous sessions that haven't been given enough time to show results. So the legislature's answer has been to throw more money at the problem that isn't necessary.

Massive resources are being dedicated to improving air quality from a variety of sources including mobile sources. Additionally, Oregon has long regulated indirect sources and DEQ has evaluated more than 400 sources under its indirect source program. None has ever been found to cause a violation of air quality standards. So this bill needs justification and statistical proof that current regulations aren't producing results before you can honestly pack more regulations onto sectors of the economy that will impact the financial growth of the state.