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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Energy and Environment

Measure: SB525

Dear Senate Committee on Energy and Environment,

I am writing in support of SB 525, to eliminate the use of gas-powered leaf blowers in large cities in Oregon. I support this measure because it is a simple, low-cost way to immediately improve urban air quality. The measure is designed to minimize harm to small businesses, and the program will roll out in an equitable manner.

Living in Portland for the past 25 years, I see ever increasing build-up of air pollution. From vehicles, industries, fires and lawn care equipment. Addressing each aspect with rational laws will enable us to safeguard the air for our children, animals and plants. SB 525 sets out an achievable goal and will have significant positive impact on the quality of life of Oregonians. Please support SB 525. Thank you.

Sincerely yours,
Nancy Yuill