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We write to submit testimony in support of this measure, to delay these truck diesel engine rules.

Our company employs 25 people in Oregon, that use various trucks to pull equipment and power equipment specifically designed to build, and fix and maintain the roads, highways, bridges and dams. There is currently no alternative available for the trucks and equipment we use to perform our work. Electric vehicle technology and charging infrastructure does not exist to serve our industry, making it impossible to get new compliant equipment. These mandates will not only drive-up maintenance costs (at a time when budgets are already stretched too thin), but make some work impossible to perform. These rules will hurt commuters, our local economy, and the jobs our employees have.

Because of these common sense reasons, we ask that you delay Oregon's ban on diesel trucks.
thank you.
Eric Hill