

30 January 2025

House Committee on Climate, Energy and Environment

Re: House Bill 3119

Dear Chair Representative Lively, Vice-Chairs Representatives Gamba and Levy, and members of the Committee:

I am all in favor of HB 3119 and urge you to pass this much needed legislation. There is more than sufficient evidence showing that implementing regulations such as those contained in the Advanced Clean Trucks regulations in the near future will not end well for the citizens or Oregon.

Oregon has enough problems without adding yet another one. Why add more? Is anyone noticing how, world-wide, investments are moving away from so-called *green energy*? Where is the evidence the Advanced Clean Truck regulations will deliver as promised.

From the beginning, Oregon has appeared to be getting the cart before the horse with emulating everything California does. Who put the in charge?

Oregon's air quality is not dirty. In the 1960s driving on I-5 it was seldom that the peaks of the Cascade range were visible on a clear day. These days, they are nearly always visible. And I'm not talking about cloud coverage. There is nothing wrong with our air except perhaps in metropolitan areas, which should be expected.

HB 3119 is very important for Oregon's economy. I urge you to pass this legislation before it is too late.

Sincerely,



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