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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and

Environment

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HB2738

Dear Members of the Oregon State Legislature,

I am writing to express my strong support for the proposed bill to ban leaded fuel at Portland International Raceway. As a parent of two small children under the age of three, I am deeply concerned about the health and safety risks associated with leaded fuel.

Leaded fuel is known to have harmful effects, particularly on young children, whose developing bodies and brains are highly susceptible to the toxic effects of lead. Exposure to lead can lead to serious health issues, including developmental delays, learning difficulties, and behavioral problems. Given these well-documented risks, it is imperative that we take proactive measures to protect our children and our communities.

By banning leaded fuel at Portland International Raceway, we can significantly reduce the potential for lead exposure and create a safer environment for all residents. This legislation represents an important step towards safeguarding public health and ensuring a healthier future for our children.

Thank you for considering my perspective on this critical issue. I urge you to support this bill and to prioritize families and young children. This bill will make Oregon a safer place for all families.

Sincerely, Jon Rogers Kenton Neighborhood