Submitter: Jan Zuckerman

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and

Environment

Measure, Appointment or

Topic:

HB2738

I am a retired teacher and am very concerned about children living near the raceway. Lead should not be part of the air that these children or anyone breathes. We know that even low amounts of exposure in the air can negatively impact children's development. How can we prioritize the raceway over the health of our communities? For years people living near the raceway have asked our lawmakers to take action to protect them. This is the opportunity to let our North Portland neighbors that they have a place in this city where their children will be protected and grow up to healthy Portlanders. Lead gasoline has been outlawed in other states. Let's do the same here.