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I am opposed to this measure and any other that proposes that Oregon lift the moratorium on nuclear energy development in Oregon. Funds spent to study the issue would be better spent on clean energy development and projects, and to assist individuals to reduce their carbon footprint. Nuclear energy is not clean energy. It involves dirty technology in the mining and milling of uranium and storage of waste. Small modular reactors actually generate 2 to 30 times the radioactive waste of larger facilities. Let's keep the moritorium in place.