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On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	Senate Committee On Natural Resources and Wildfire
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	SB427

I am requesting that the Oregon Legislature does the right thing passing SB 427, closing the loophole that allows for the environmental impact to be ignored with simply "changing the water rights request". The science is very clear that climate change is having a significant effect on our water table with warming temperatures. We, as stewards of our natural environment have the duty to protect this precious resource for all who depend on it. Thank you for your time, Melissa Gentry