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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and

Environment

Measure, Appointment or

Topic:

HB3512

To Whom it May Concern: I strongly support HB 3512 and the phase-out of PFAS in products sold and manufactured in Oregon. Having researched the numerous products and processes involving PFAS and their widespread presence in the environment, I understand their impact on the health of a community and the environment. The people of Oregon are unknowingly exposed to these chemicals at their manufacturing and fire-fighting jobs and at home when using/consuming household goods. Once in the environment, these chemicals don't degrade. They persist and contaminate our surface and groundwater, and our soils and sediments only to be taken up by plants, animals, and people. Please protect our community by supporting HB 3512.