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On Behalf Of:
Committee: Senate Committee On Rules
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SJR28
Chair and Members of the Committee,

I am testifying in strong support of SJR 28. Now, more than ever, we must take action to make these commitments a legal reality, ensuring that future generations inherit an environment that allows them to thrive and flourish.

Clean air, clean water, and healthy ecosystems are essential for the physical, mental, and emotional well-being of all people. With SJR 28, we send a clear message that the health of our communities is non-negotiable, and that we, as a state, prioritize the protection of this right for every Oregonian, no matter their age or background.

This resolution reflects a forward-thinking mindset that recognizes the urgency of addressing environmental challenges and ensures that we are better equipped to confront these challenges as they arise.

I urge the committee to support this vital resolution. It is not just a policy—it is a statement of our values as a state and as a society.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,?Gretchen Stuart
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