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The idea of a climate superfund is simple: Fossil fuel corporations exacerbated the climate crisis, and they should pay their fair share of the costs! Make Polluters Pay makes the largest oil, gas, and coal companies liable for the costs of the damage burning fossil fuels has done to human life and our natural environment. This climate superfund will help Oregon be more resilient to extreme weather events including wildfires, heatwaves, and ice storms and fund urgent climate adaptation measures, such as flood protection, upgrades to transportation and electric power grids, home and building retrofits, and more. Make the corporations pay for the damage they have caused!