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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3971

Chair Bowman and Honorable Members of the House Committee on Rules.

I urge you to pass HB 3971 out of committee do-pass. HB 3971 is an fantastic opportunity for government to lead in reducing atmosphere-damaging gas emissions from public landfills.

In Lane County, where I live, an innovative public-private recycling project called CleanLane is in the early stage of development. CleanLane will capture an estimated 90% of methane from organic waste before it enters the landfill!!!

CleanLane will also divert an estimated 80,000 tons of trash annually from the landfill! And it increases Lane County's overall waste diversion rate, helping us meet the state-mandated 63% diversion target.

HB 3971 will support this kind of project. Again, please pass HB3971 out of committee do-pass.

Many thanks for the opportunity to comment.

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