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I am writing to support the passage of the "Coal to Clean Energy" bill, SB 477. A solid majority of Oregonians are supportive of transitioning from coal to clean, renewable energy and I strongly believe that this is the time to act. Delaying will only exacerbate the problems we will all face with climate change. I understand that some compromises will likely be made. I am urging our legislators to stand strong on the provisions to convert from coal to clean, renewable energy by the year 2025 (or sooner) and to confirm that not more than 10% of the energy mixture be comprised of natural gas. We need to end our reliance on fossil fuels. Conversion to clean, renewable, locally sourced and sustainable energy will help to mitigate the deleterious effects of climate change, will improve the health of Oregonians, and will provide job growth and increase in local business. Thank you for your interest.

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