

Douglas County Global Warming Coalition
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Senate Committee on Environmental and Natural Resources:

The Board of the Douglas County Global Warming Coalition strongly supports the passage of the Healthy Climate Bill. This far reaching and critical piece of legislation will significantly reduce Oregon's share of greenhouse gas emissions while investing in our communities and creating clean energy jobs.

The Climate Agreement signed by 190 countries in Paris sent a powerful message that it is time to take strong decisive action to move toward a clean energy economy and leave a sustainable and healthy planet for our children. By passing the Healthy Climate Bill, Oregon will play a leadership role in creating that future for generations to follow.

We recognize that a short legislative session is a difficult time to pass significant pieces of legislation. But the laws of physics care not for the politics of the day. It is our generation that is called upon to rise to the challenge and respond to the immediacy of the climate crisis. Therefore, we strongly urge you to pass this important endeavor,

The Douglas County Global Warming Coalition is an all-volunteer grassroots organization representing 475 citizens of Douglas County. For over 13 years, we have worked on the Federal, state and local level to advocate for positive solutions to climate change. We ask for your support for this important bill so we can leave a healthy planet for our children and future generations.

Sincerely,

The Board of the Douglas County Global Warming Coalition:

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