



# NAACP

Eugene ~ Springfield Branch

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Dear Committee Chair and Chair Persons,

The Eugene Springfield NAACP stands with the African American Community of Oregon in asking that you support Oregon's Clean Energy Jobs bill. We believe the coming green energy economy should be well supported and used as a vehicle to correct the many wrongs that are suffered by the poor and communities of color over the last century. The NAACP builds upon its legacy for advocating for equity and economic justice by supporting environmental justice within the energy sector especially in the broader context of climate change. We urge you to support your chambers version of the clean energy bill.

Sincerely,

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President of the Eugene Springfield NAACP