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Dear members of the Senate Committee on Environment and Natural Resources,

I am writing in support of SB1508 to fund DEQ and to offer my opposition of SB1541. My personal experience is one of developing severe asthma after an exposure to airborne chemicals in the 1990's. I know what it feels like to struggle to breathe, and to suffer from bone loss due to the side effects of asthma medications. Clean air should be a protected right for the citizens of Oregon. Do not strip any more authority from DEQ nor weaken the CAO rules of important health based standards by passing SB1541. Please vote in favor of SB1508, the breath and health of the citizens of Oregon are at risk.

Sincerely,  
Patricia Armstrong  
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