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Dear Oregon Senators,

Cap and Trade is a fraud and will not help Oregon. Last summer, we Oregonians let it be known that it would do harm to our state, and several of our representatives heard us and walked out. Yet here it is again. Stop ignoring us! You do not own us, you work for us! Stop trying to grab more money and power at the expense of our state and people.

We know that the United States emits only 6% of the world's industrial Carbon. We know that Oregon emits a very tiny portion of that, less than one percent. We know that right now, there are several volcanoes around the world emitting Carbon Dioxide at prodigious rates, that we humans would never allow, not in our current "enlightened" state. We know, that any carbon credits or taxes in Oregon, will do nothing to stop volcanoes and the other larger Carbon emitters in the world. Last I heard, volcanoes don't accept cash, credit or virgins.

The really irritating thing to us is this. Not only do you ignore facts like above, or you've forgotten your 6th grade science classes about photosynthesis and how the world actually needs more accessible Carbon, but within Cap and Trade is a section that would allow exemption from the Freedom of Information Act. What? Why do you need to hide any part of the results of this legislation, if it's so good and wonderful? Tyrants and dictators do this kind of thing. Is this an admission that our Oregon government is now a dictatorship? Is this what is to be expected as a part of the "revenge is a dish best served cold?"

We said, "No!" to this bad bill when it was HB20-20. It's still bad ad LC-19 and we still don't want it. Pay attention to us, the people of ALL Oregon. We are paying attention to what you do, from ramming stuff through that we already voted against, to cutting our vote out of the process all together, and claiming things to be "emergencies" when they aren't. We're watching, we're keeping track, and we will be voting in November.

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