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Dear Public Servants for the Good of All Oregonians,
After a 30 year profession as a mental health provider in Redmond, I can tell you that seeing the future of the people I helped to heal devastated by human caused climate change is NOT pleasing. It is time for Oregon to take decisive action and ENABLE ALL POOR CITIZENS to be aided by tax credits or SNAP credits for rapid expense increases for fuel, not just folks in rural areas. (There is no reason to keep dividing our citizens, we are all in this together but the wealthy have already benefitted and it's time for them to pay a fair share)
The Gas Utility has no shortage of money to invest in positive changes and should not be given a pass on accountability.

A fair, comprehensive cap and trade bill is needed NOW. The expense of not acting is way beyond the cost of paying for pollution.

Thank you for your consideration,
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"The heart that breaks open can hold the whole universe. Your heart is that large. Trust it. Keep breathing." Joanna Macy

