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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

I am submitting this testimony in support of strong climate action in 2020.

Given the catastrophic events we have witnessed in the U.S. and around the globe in recent years, few would continue to deny that we are in a climate crisis that demands strong climate action. Our oceans are becoming more acidic and wildfires are growing more frequent and massive; and both of these changes have a direct effect on the people of Oregon.

The current bill is a good framework but it could be stronger. Senate Bill 1530 (formerly Legislative Concept 19) is currently too weak to meet the state's goals for reducing harmful pollution and provides too many giveaways to the fossil fuel industry, allowing these corporations to continue polluting as usual, harming our health and the climate. Ultimately, this proposal is too weak to meet the demands of the climate crisis.

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Please build upon the work you have started with SB 1530 by making the bill stronger and pass bold climate legislation in 2020.

Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Alan Kirk  
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**From:** [Angel Villamor L](#)  
**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
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**Date:** Saturday, January 25, 2020 2:09:56 PM

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Chair Dembrow, Vice-Chair Olsen and Members of the Senate Interim Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, keep us in Oregon, in the Climate Accord even if the president has removed the federal government from it. Let's be a better state in the union of free states.

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Yours sincerely,

Angel Villamor L

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Yours sincerely,

Barbara Kinzle Christman

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Please build upon the work you have started with Senate Bill 1530 by making the bill stronger and pass bold climate legislation in 2020.

Yours sincerely,

Becky Brun

Hood River, Oregon, 97031, United States

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Yours sincerely,

Cherice Bock



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Chair Dembrow, Vice-Chair Olsen and Members of the Senate Interim Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, please consider this testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020.

The problem is real and solutions exist right now. A clean energy future is a better future even when not considering climate change. Who benefits from diesel exhaust and coal dust?! Work needs to happen now, or the price just keeps going up.

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Yours sincerely,

Cooper Morrow

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**Date:** Monday, January 20, 2020 9:11:22 PM

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

Please consider this testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020.

We are in a climate crisis that demands strong climate action. Oregon's oceans are becoming more acidic and wildfires are growing more frequent and massive.

Climate change and the resultant wildfires personally impact me. When I first came to Central Oregon 30 years ago I never experienced smoky skies, now it is norm during the summer months. It is getting worse every year, at times reducing visibility to less than 1/8 of a mile. In the past I cooled my home by opening windows at night. Now, due to the smoke it is risky: so I am left with a dilemma, overheat or gag on the smoke. I also cannot afford AC to address the problem. Please address climate change, it is having serious impacts on folks.

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Sincerely,  
Craig Soule  
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**Date:** Monday, January 27, 2020 9:27:00 AM

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

Please consider this testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020.

We are in a climate crisis that demands strong climate action. In fact, we are so far into the crisis that EVERY Policy decision should start with, "How will this decrease the greenhouse gases produced? How will this affect the populations that will be most affected by climate change?" We have super waves and massive forest fires already. People can be trained, but CO2 cannot currently be reclaimed.

The current bill is a good start but it isn't strong enough, by far. Senate Bill 1530 (formerly Legislative Concept 19) is currently too weak to meet the state's goals for reducing harmful pollution and provides too many giveaways to the fossil fuel industry, allowing these corporations to continue polluting as usual, harming our health and the climate. Ultimately, this proposal is far weak to meet the demands of the climate crisis.

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We need Hope. We need to see our Leaders recognizing the CRISIS for what it is: A House On Fire. Be that Leader. We need you now.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Cynthia Yolland  
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**From:** [Danika Esden-Tempski](#)  
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Dear Chair Dembrow, Vice Chair Olsen and Members of the Senate Interim Committee on Environment and Natural Resources,

My name is Danika, I'm an Oregonian and I live in Eugene. Thank you for your continued work on the critical issue of the climate emergency.

Its so important that Oregon continues to be a leader on strong climate action in order to create clean energy jobs, fight climate change, protect our forest from wildfires, reduce pollution and leave a livable healthy world for the next generation.

We need improvements to the transportation portion of the bill so all oil companies pay their fair share no matter where they're located. Oil companies are the largest source of pollution in our state and we cannot let them off the hook.

As written, this bill would pay fossil fuel polluters to continue business as usual. We can't afford business as usual. We cannot allow legislation to move forward that is climate action in name only, while it fails to hold large polluters accountable.

This bill needs a guarantee in investments in communities hardest hit by the climate crisis -- rural, low-income, Tribes, and communities of color. While there are aspirations to prioritize those communities in the current version, Oregonians deserve a guarantee.

I hope you will support changes to this bill and support the passage of bold climate action in 2020. This issue is too important for us to turn our backs while our forests burn, our fish die, and water runs out in parts of our state. We can't wait any longer.

Thank you for doing your part to preserve and protect Oregon's wildlife and natural spaces.

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If we don't eliminate the fossil fuel industry soon, it will cause human extinction. The environment is national security; pollution is treason. This crisis would have been solved decades ago without capitalism.

Sincerely,

Danny Dyche

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

Please consider this testimony in favor of strong climate chaos action in 2020.

Climate chaos demands strong climate action. Oregon's oceans are becoming more acidic and wildfires are growing more frequent and massive.

The current bill is a good framework but it isn't strong enough. Senate Bill 1530 (formerly Legislative Concept 19) is currently too weak to meet the state's goals for reducing harmful pollution and provides too many giveaways to the fossil fuel industry, allowing these corporations to continue polluting as usual, harming our health and the climate. Ultimately, this proposal is too weak to meet the demands of climate chaos.

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Please build upon the work you have started with SB 1530 by making the bill stronger and pass bold climate legislation in 2020.

Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Dianne Ensign  
11600 SW Lancaster Rd Portland, OR 97219-7655

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Yours sincerely,

Dwight Burton

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Chair Dembrow, Vice-Chair Olsen and Members of the Senate Interim Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, please consider this testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020.

Climate action CANNOT WAIT! We are in a climate crisis that demands strong climate action. Oregon's oceans are becoming more acidic and wildfires are growing more frequent and massive.

It should not be possible for legislators to defeat a bill simply by not showing up. If necessary, redefine the meaning of quorum.

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Please don't "wimp out" with a bill that pretends to do something, but really doesn't solve the problem. Oregon should show the country what can be done.

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Yours sincerely,

Edward Cleary

Beaverton, Oregon, 97007, United States

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Please build upon the work you have started with Senate Bill 1530 by making the bill stronger and pass bold climate legislation in 2020.

Yours sincerely,

Gary Oxman

Portland, Oregon, 97210, United States

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

Thank you consider this testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020!

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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Holly Zapf  
2137 NE 12th Ave Portland, OR 97212-4307

**From:** [Ilene Moss](#)  
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Yours sincerely,

Ilene Moss

Portland, Oregon, 97211, United States

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

Below my short statement as testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020.

We are in a climate crisis that demands strong climate action. Oregon's oceans are becoming more acidic and wildfires are growing more frequent and massive.

As a senior heading toward my eighties I am in accord with Oregon's young people who deserve strong climate action. They need leaders to pass strong climate legislation that will protect the air they breathe, the water they drink, and the soil that grows the food they eat. That's why Oregon's youth have been taking to the streets in record numbers in all parts of the state. They are calling for leaders to pass strong policies that will give them a future free from devastating climate disasters and collapsed economies.

I support a bill without ANY giveaways special considerations for selected industries that must be on a trajectory to reduce GHG emissions if Oregon is to meet its climate action goals. I am in full support of an aggressive goal toward a pathway to reach a 100% clean, renewable and carbon free economy in 10 years

The current bill is a limited framework not nearly strong enough. Senate Bill 1530 (formerly Legislative Concept 19) in its current form is much too weak to meet the state's goals for reducing harmful pollution. It provides too many giveaways to the fossil fuel industry, allowing these corporations to continue polluting as usual, harming our health and the climate. Ultimately, this proposal is too weak to meet the demands of the climate crisis.

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I urge you to build on the work you have started with SB 1530 to make the bill stronger so that it actually will be an effective climate bill we can all stand behind. Do pass bold climate legislation in 2020!

Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Inga Fisher Williams  
2824 NE Cesar E Chavez Blvd Portland, OR 97212-2929

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**Date:** Tuesday, January 21, 2020 6:44:03 PM

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Janet Stossel  
62890 Olive Barber Rd Coos Bay, OR 97420-6200



**From:** [Twin Momma](#)  
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Good afternoon,

My name is Jessica Neeley, I am a single mom of twin 8yr olds. I am medically retired member of the OPEIU.

Thank you for your continued work on the critical issue of climate change.

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We are in a climate crisis that demands strong climate action. Oregon's oceans are becoming more acidic and wildfires are growing more frequent and massive.

We still need to see changes to this bill. As written, this LC would pay polluters to continue business as usual. Our children can't afford business as usual. We cannot allow legislation to move forward that is climate action in name only, while it fails to hold large polluters accountable.

I hope you will support changes to this bill and support the passage of bold climate action in 2020. We can't wait any longer.

Sincerely,

Jessica Neeley  
Resident of Lane County Oregon

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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Kaye Exo  
4911 NE 13th Ave Portland, OR 97211-4639

**From:** [Lindaengels51@everyactioncustom.com](mailto:Lindaengels51@everyactioncustom.com) on behalf of [Linda Engels](#)  
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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

Please consider this testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020.

When I was in graduate school in 1995, Thomas Berry instructed our class that we 10 years to turn the climate crisis around. Here we are in 2020 and we are head for a precipitous decline: flooding drought loss of species; perhaps even our own. We need to be bold brave and committed to reverse this horrible calamity.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Linda Engels  
636 NE 61st Ave Portland, OR 97213-4308

**From:** [Lorie Fontaine](#)  
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Please, for the climate refugees all over the world, for my beautiful little granddaughter and her brother due to be born this year, for your loved ones, please act. We will do our very best to have your back.

Yours sincerely,

Lorie Fontaine

Salem, Oregon, 97302, United States

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Yours sincerely,

Maryl Kunkel

Newberg, Oregon, 97132, United States

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**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
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**Date:** Tuesday, January 21, 2020 9:15:05 PM

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

There is no time to wait or debate--our climate future and the safety of all of us depends on bold action NOW, TODAY in 2020!! The most recent science has made it clear. This decade will decide whether humans are able to stave off the worst effects of the climate crises, or whether we will doom our children and grandchildren to a future of suffering and scarcity.

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Oregon's young people, like my first-grade son a native Oregonian like me, deserve strong climate action NOW. They need leaders to pass strong climate legislation that will protect the air they breathe, the water they drink, and the soil that grows the food they eat. That's why Oregon's youth have been taking to the streets in record numbers in all parts of the state. They are calling for leaders to pass strong policies that will give them a future free from devastating climate disasters and collapsed economies.

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Thank you for your attention to this urgent issue.

Sincerely,  
Matthew Scotten  
1803 NE Ainsworth St Portland, OR 97211-5428



**From:** [Paris Edwards](#)  
**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
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**Date:** Wednesday, January 22, 2020 2:55:59 PM

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Paris Edwards

Corvallis, Oregon, 97330, United States

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**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
**Subject:** SB 1530 TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF STRONG CLIMATE ACTION  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:24:53 PM

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*My name is Patricia Thigpen. I'm a customer service manager, a concerned mother, and a working Oregonian from Ashland for the past 16 years.*

*Thank you for your continued work on the critical issue of climate change.*

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*Please support changes to this bill and support the passage of bold climate action in 2020. We can't wait any longer.*

*Sincerely,*

*Patricia Thigpen  
Ashland, Oregon*

**From:** [p.falkenstein4@everyactioncustom.com](mailto:p.falkenstein4@everyactioncustom.com) on behalf of [Patty falkenstein](#)  
**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
**Subject:** SB 1530 (formerly LC 19) - Testimony in favor of strong climate action  
**Date:** Friday, January 24, 2020 5:01:42 AM

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Patty falkenstein  
11690 SW Ashwood Ct Tigard, OR 97223-3301

**From:** [gogodoughdough@everyactioncustom.com](mailto:gogodoughdough@everyactioncustom.com) on behalf of [Peter Johnson](#)  
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**Subject:** SB 1530 (formerly LC 19) - Testimony in favor of strong climate action  
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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Peter Johnson  
1928 Friendly Aly Eugene, OR 97405-2110

**From:** [Rosanne Lewis](#)  
**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
**Subject:** TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF SB 1530  
**Date:** Thursday, January 30, 2020 10:43:52 AM

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Chair Dembrow, Vice-Chair Olsen and Members of the Senate Interim Committee on Environment and Natural Resources, please consider this testimony in favor of STRONG climate action in 2020. I have grandchildren who deserve a clean world to live healthy lives in.

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Yours sincerely,

Rosanne Lewis

Medford, Oregon, 97504, United States

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**Subject:** SB 1530 (formerly LC 19) - Testimony in favor of strong climate action  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 21, 2020 6:51:39 AM

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

Please consider this testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020.

I live in southern Oregon. This is a rural area and we have climate crisis problems.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Rosanne Lewis  
3027 Adams Cir Medford, OR 97504-5878



**From:** [S2place@everyactioncustom.com](mailto:S2place@everyactioncustom.com) on behalf of [Sandra Place](#)  
**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
**Subject:** SB 1530 (formerly LC 19) - Testimony in favor of strong climate action  
**Date:** Saturday, January 25, 2020 8:56:03 PM

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

Please consider this testimony in favor of strong climate action in 2020.

We are in a climate crisis that demands strong climate action. Oregon's oceans are becoming more acidic and wildfires are growing more frequent and massive. The fires have a huge impact on personal health. The Dungeness crab population will dive with increased acidification of the ocean.

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Thank you.

Sincerely,  
Sandra Place  
578 Missouri Flat Rd Grants Pass, OR 97527-9465

**From:** [Sarah Fowler](#)  
**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
**Cc:** [Sen Golden](#)  
**Subject:** SB 1530 Testimony in Support of Strong Climate Action  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 21, 2020 8:37:46 PM

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My name is Sarah Nicole Fowler, and I am a mother and long-time resident of Southern Oregon. I work with children as a Speech-Language Pathologist's Assistant in Medford Public Schools.

Thank you for your past work and continued efforts on the very important issue of climate change.

I believe that SB 1530 is a good start toward meaningful climate action, but it is currently too weak to meet Oregon's goals for reducing pollution. It should be strengthened to reduce giveaways and loopholes for fossil fuel polluters. Not only does fossil fuel pollution drive harmful climate disruption, it has immediate harmful effects on the health of all Oregonians, especially children. Please do not allow this bill to permit business as usual in the fossil fuel industry. Our health and our future depends on strong action today.

Oregon's most vulnerable citizens, especially our children, low-income citizens, rural-dwellers, communities of color, and tribal nations need strong climate action. SB 1530 needs to be stronger to reduce fossil fuel pollution and invest in the new, green economy.

Please do everything in your power to build upon the good work you have put in thus far by making SB 1530 stronger and more effective to protect Oregonians and make a meaningful stand against climate change. We are all living in a dire moment in history, with worsening wildfires, droughts, and acidifying oceans. Our actions today will be remembered by generations to come.

Please strengthen SB 1530. We need bold climate action in 2020.

Sincerely,  
Sarah N. Fowler from Ashland, OR

**From:** [Shauna McKain-Storey](#)  
**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
**Subject:** SB 1530: TESTIMONY IN SUPPORT OF STRONG CLIMATE ACTION  
**Date:** Tuesday, January 21, 2020 6:21:45 PM

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I support LC 19, a strong cap and invest policy and all strong climate legislation for my family, for Oregon's children and the future of all Oregonians.

I am a voter who lives in rural Oregon, and am terrified of what the climate crisis may mean for people, wildlife and the natural beauty of our state. We need to be smart and prepared. We've all seen the preview of what could happen: super strong hurricanes, historic flooding, horrific wildfires in California and Australia. Pay attention, please!

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**To:** [SENR Exhibits](#)  
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**Date:** Saturday, January 25, 2020 12:07:30 PM

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Yours sincerely,

Susan Longstreth

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**Subject:** SB 1530 (formerly LC 19) - Testimony in favor of strong climate action  
**Date:** Monday, January 20, 2020 1:26:34 PM

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Dear Senate Committee Environment and Natural Resources,

**RESPECTFULLY-- Please consider THIS MY TESTIMONY IN FAVOR OF STRONG CLIMATE ACTION RIGHT NOW AND CONTINUING.**

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Thank you for your consideration & service

Sincerely,  
Thomas L. Fausone  
1600 Rhododendron Dr Spc 95 Florence, OR 97439-9384