

Hello JCCR

I've been in Bend, Oregon for 20 years. Climate change is obvious - and its scary. I worry for my kids future, and for our civilization. We didn't used to need air conditioning. Now Central Oregonians need not only air conditioning, but also air filtering systems to handle the increased wildfire smoke.

Please ask yourself - what is best for the the public good and for next generations? I literally get sick to my stomach when I see public leaders failing to address climate change, and I think about my children's future.

The science has been clear since 1990. We have the knowledge and the means. Jesus Christ - we don't have time to wait any longer. There are no excuses.

The economy will thrive with this bill. We have abundant solar energy potential in the high desert. This industry needs support. Also, in rural Crook County, there is a need to support sustainable biomass energy production.

Myself, and most working people are too busy to follow the specifics of this bill. You are entrusted to do the right thing. I'm sure this bill isn't perfect. That's okay. Perfect is the enemy of the good. There's not time to wait for perfect.

Sincerely,
Beth Jacobi