

Dear Co-chairs Dembrow and Power and members of the Joint Committee on Carbon Reduction,

My name is Kari Schlosshauer and I live in Portland, Oregon, with my husband and two boys aged 6 and 9. We strongly support HB 2020 because we are already experiencing the effects of climate change and we want to see you, our state leaders, do something about it!

We talk with friends, neighbors, and co-workers all the time who agree with us they want to see clean 100% renewable energy, a swift shift to non-fossil fuel technology, and significant investment in more clean transit, and safe, connected networks for walking and bicycling all over the state, so they don't have to drive as much.

Our kids are young now, but they will suffer the worst of climate change, far worse than the heat waves and wildfires we already experience. As parents we want to do everything we can to provide a clean and safe world in which to live and thrive. Passing HB 2020, and making it stronger rather than further weakened by industry protections, is the way to make the future bright for all Oregonians.

Thank you for your support.

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"Change will not come if we wait for some other person or some other time. We are the ones we've been waiting for. We are the change that we seek."