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House Committee on Energy and Environment

Dear Chair Power, Vice-Chairs Bonham & Sollman, and members of the Committee:

I am wholeheartedly opposed to House Bill 4151.

This bill reveals the little talked about fact that so-called "green energy" cannot stand on it's own and that (yet more) taxes and subsidies - provided by the workers and consumers of Oregon - yet again need to pony up more out of our pockets to show that green energy fantasies can indeed come true.

If electric powered vehicles are so great, they'd be selling like hot cakes and businesses would be lining up to get in on the infrastructure they require. They are not because they are not financially feasible without government intervention forcing us to pay for them whether we buy them or not.

This bill force feeds us what we wouldn't pay for on our own initiative. The switch to electric vehicles will happen of it's own accord. Forcing us now does not endear the legislators to their constituencies.

Respectfully,



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