

WRITTEN TESTIMONY

SB 1530

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My name is Diane Pohl and I reside in Clatskanie, Oregon. I am here to testify in opposition of SB 1530 and also request the Emergency Clause on this Bill be removed.

I was Mayor of Clatskanie for 12 years, so I do have some experience in local legislation and structuring a government that is as fair and equitable as possible.

This is a law that will highly impact every man, woman and child in this State. It is only fair that those adversely affected be the ones to decide on whether it passes or fails.....not partisan politics!

According to Senator Alan Olsen of Canby, this legislation contains no checks or balances and is exempted from public disclosure. This makes this law, if passed, vulnerable to fraud and deception with no remedy for citizens affected. I would question the Constitutional legality of this. It is unconscionable!

Thirty pages of amendments were delivered to you recently. There is no time for the public to read and react. This legislation should not be passed during this short session, but, at the very least, be held over until the regular session in 2021. What is the hurry? You don't even have estimated costs to families in this great State.

California is suffering greatly from the Cap and Trade scam. Please don't subject Oregon to this failed program as well.

I would ask that this Bill either be voted down; or the emergency clause be removed; or remand it to the 2021 Regular Session. But NOT passed through this Session.

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