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Hello,

My name is Sharona Shnayder, I'm a senior studying Accounting at Portland State University, a concerned individual, and a victim of the climate crisis if the political system continues to forsake my generation with their inaction. Thank you for your continued work on the critical issue of climate change, as you know...we're currently facing an ecological crisis and waiting for change isn't an option. From severe flooding—such as the historic amount we're currently seeing in Umatilla County leading Gov Brown to declare a state of emergency—to devastating wildfires, the effects of climate change are too enormous – and their costs too great to ignore. In 2019 alone, there were 14 billion-dollar extreme weather and climate events, costing the United States \$45 billion. If there's one thing we can all agree on it's that Earth is OUR home. We already have the technology to transition to a clean energy future, all we need now is the political courage to act. That's where you as our elected leaders follow suit and join the fight for a future devoid of crisis. My generation is counting on you to take action, specifically by passing the strongest version of HB 4167 possible. Thank you for reading and I appreciate your time.

Kind regards,
Sharona Shnayder