

- Cap and Trade will kill Oregon jobs!

I work in the service industry helping people in their homes, most rely on businesses to flourish here, and so do I.

Businesses fail or move out, I am without a business. For me to raise my rates would most assuredly put me out of business. I barely make ends meet as it is, but I have a husband who also works...I feel sorry for the single parents out there that are in the same business.

You need to really think this through, which obviously you haven't, so here is more insight:

Buses (school and community) would be outdated, so your employers would have to pay for new ones.

Fire trucks and first responder trucks would be outdated, so your employers would have to pay for new ones.

ODOT trucks equipment would be outdated, so your employers would have to pay for new ones.

County trucks and equipment would be outdated, so your employers would have to pay for new ones.

City trucks and equipment would be outdated, so your employers would have to pay for new ones.

This might not have the impact on you that it would for all the single parents struggling to make ends meet. Those fortunate enough to have more than one job (because most can only get part time jobs in our area). Those who are unable to save money because rent is too high, but are paid just enough to be above assistance.

People who lose their jobs, lose their houses and where are they to go?

Climate change is real...we had an Ice Age, we have had some major fires, we have had record snowfalls, we have had some record rainfalls, and record droughts. But the working people of Oregon did not create those events! All the carbon exhalers had nothing to do with them. Earthquakes have knocked us off of true north..hummm, maybe that "might" play a part, so let's tax earthquakes to make it all better! (Now if that seems out of whack, you should see things from our side, the side just barely able to make it, those fighting to save their homes, a better life for their children and grandchildren...those one paycheck away from homelessness. Those who reach out to their Senators and Representatives and plead, "Don't destroy all we have worked for")

Cap and Trade is a farce and is bad for Oregon, it was bad for California.

Vote "No" on Cap and trade.

Regards,

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