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HB 2488 In Support

To the members of House Energy and Environment Committee:

I am amazed at how much the world has changed in the 50 years since SB 100 established Oregon's land use laws.

Then, although scientists were beginning to warn us about global warming, we were not aware of the resulting catastrophic changes we are beginning to see even now.

Then, although big civil rights acts were passed in the 1960's, state and local governments and most of our institutions had not grasped the extent of change that will be required to bring about equitable treatment for all Oregonians.

We are fortunate that leaders in science and equity, recognizing that our land use laws can help to address these giant problems, have written this important legislation.

Please make it happen. Please pass HB 2488.

Cordially,

Linda Craig