Submitter: Jim Scheppke

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment

Measure: HB3022

Dear Chair Marsh and Committee:

The Climate Emergency is here and we must do everything we can to make our planet habitable for our children and grandchildren. I applaud the DEQ for their rulemaking that was done at the direction of Governor Kate Brown. Her actions were in response to a total breakdown in the Legislature in addressing the Climate Emergency. Now members of the party that walked out to prevent desperately needed climate action want to continue to stand in the way of what so obviously needs to be done. HB 3022 should be soundly rejected and the DEQ should be strongly supported in their efforts to do the right thing for this generation and future generations of Oregonians.

Thank you for your service!