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Oregonians living near roads and highways have higher than usual cases of diseases like asthma and cancer. This has been shown to be from pollutants from gas and diesel vehicles. Those living near roads and highways are also often poor and unable to move from their locations. Ms. Boshart-Davis wants to eliminate these rules to help her own pocket book, nothing more. She doesn't care about the health of Oregonians that moving to an electrified fleet would benefit. Please consider keeping Oregon on track to move to a more electrified fleet.

We already have electric class 8 trucks from Daimler and Tesla on the roads. The options are only going to increase, and the charging infrastructure is being built out as well. Oregon can keep on track to make the change to electrified trucking and should not be held back.