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Everything is getting more expensive and worse for regular people. My insurance premiums are going up, the number of days it isn't safe to breath outside is going up, my anxiety about my food and water being toxic is going up. I'm scared to have kids because it's hard to imagine how they'll even survive in a future that was sold out to the highest bidder before they were ever born. It feels irresponsible to bring another person into the world in the state it's in.

It's like this because corporations don't care if we die, as long as their profits go up. It's been shown time and time again that companies will literally try and sell us addictive, cancer-causing substances and "food" they know is contributing to diseases and early death. Polluting our planet and causing climate change obviously aren't concerns for corporations - only money is.

That's why we HAVE to make it costly for them. For too long, people in our state have been born into a situation where WE pay the price for corporate greed. We suffer the health consequences and pay to clean up their mess. That can't be the situation if we want our beautiful Oregon to be a place it's safe and healthy for kids to grown up in.

As legislators, you have the power to shift the costs from your constituents to these mega corporations. I urge you to pass SB 1541 and finally make these polluters pay for the damage they've done to communities across our state.