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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and
Wildfire

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1541

Dear Chair Golden, Vice-chair Nash, and Members of the Committee,

We have known for decades that the fossil fuel industry is the major contributor to the carbon emissions that are causing dramatic warming of our climate. They are also the single largest contributor to air pollution that endangers the health of all humans. The fossil fuel industry has also known this for decades, yet has done nothing to reduce the costs that society bears for these problems. It is time to make them pay their fair share to deal with these problems - especially for the communities that are most impacted by their air, water and carbon pollution. Please support this common sense proposal which will create needed funding to increase resilience and lower energy costs in our state.