This document is a compilation of written comments received during the public comment period for the Clean Fuels Program Expansion 2022 Rulemaking. The comment period opened on June 29, 2022 and closed at 4 p.m. on July 21, 2022. Only comments received before the deadline are included in this document.
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Oregon, 97405, United States

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Yours sincerely,

Emma DeFontes

Oregon, 97224, United States

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DEQ Clean Fuels Program Staff,

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on DEQ's proposed Clean Fuels Program rules. I am writing to express support for an ambitious Clean Fuels Program expansion.

To satisfy the requirement calculated by the U.N. Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) to limit climate emissions requires about 50% reduction of recent emissions by 2030. Oregonians buy roughly 170,000 new vehicle annually, or about 6% of the fleet (same as the US).

Simple arithmetic implies that a 50% emissions reduction by 2030 requires 100% ZEV adoptions by around 2025. Norway is the only country on track to decarbonize their vehicles at this rate. Norway's annual fleet replacement rate is also about 6%, and Norway has about the same average income, population, and land area as Oregon. And their EV policies are revenue-neutral, like the Clean Fuels Program—they are not dipping into their Sovereign Wealth fund to subsidize EVs. Norway achieves this trajectory by steering purchasers of new vehicles to ZEVs with fees functionally similar to the California ZEV program—emitting vehicles get sticks and ZEVs get carrots. In this fashion, the California ZEV program and Norway's policy address the root cause of vehicle emissions—emitting vehicles--instead of the symptom of emissions.

The Clean Fuels Program focuses on the symptom, which is inherently less efficient than focusing on the root cause. This inefficiency manifests as lower-carbon fuels burned in conventional engines that are more costly to fuel and maintain than electric motors; investments in short-term fuel infrastructure that will soon be obsoleted by EVs; a greater portion of used vehicles being more costly to fuel and more polluting; etc.

Adoption of the California Advanced Clean Car II policies would thus be superior to the structure of the CFP. Slide 13 of the EQC's Advanced Clean Cars II Proposed Rule Item C: Informational Item (July 21, 2022) projects a 20% reduction in ICE vehicles by 2030 and about 45% reduction by 2035. That compares with the currently proposed CFP targets of 20% emissions reduction by 2030 and 37% by 2035.

The unprecedented investments (>$500 billion worldwide) and competition between automakers to accelerate EV production to grab market share in the new technology will very likely result in EV volumes exceeding the requirements of both of these policies. But as of today, the CFP is Oregon's strongest vehicle emission policy, and the CFP should be strengthened if for whatever reasons the ACC II or the market adoption forces don't materialize. Strong carbon intensity reduction targets will help move the needle on climate pollution, while improving public health and economic outcomes across Oregon. Today the average US household spends about $5000 annually for gasoline at $5 per gallon, and the equivalent fuel cost for EVs is about $1 per gallon in Oregon. Cleaner fuels also help increase our energy security and protect Oregonians against harmful oil and gas price fluctuations at the pump. A strong target will spur innovation within Oregon and the region and send a signal that Oregon is a robust clean fuels marketplace. A weak target will dampen opportunity and make Oregon less competitive.

Thus I urge DEQ to maximize the clean air, climate, and health benefits of the program, by achieving these new targets through electrification as much as possible, and to continue to prioritize equitable economic outcomes, by encouraging credit-generating utilities to fund affordable and accessible public charging infrastructure in underserved areas such as low-income, BIPOC and rural communities.

Thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Eric Strid

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Evan Reynolds

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Gail Melhado

New York, 11937, United States

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Georgia Roelof

Oregon, 97367, United States

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Gleb Garshin

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Dept. of Environmental Quality Clean Fuels staff,

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Gret Rowe

Oregon, 97703, United States

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Gwen Stone

Oregon, 97457, United States

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Yours sincerely,

Helen Anderson

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Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on DEQ’s proposed Clean Fuels Program rules.

Yours sincerely,

Hilary Conway

Oregon, 97221, United States

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Dept. of Environmental Quality Clean Fuels staff,

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Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on DEQ’s proposed Clean Fuels Program rules.

Yours sincerely,

Hillary Tiefer

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DEQ Clean Fuels Program Staff,

I am writing to express strong support for maximizing climate, public health, community, and local economic benefits by adopting an ambitious Clean Fuels Program (CFP) expansion. In addition, I urge you to amend the draft fiscal impact statement (FIS) to more accurately capture benefits of the Clean Fuels Program.

DEQ’s clean fuels program expansion has the potential to be the most consequential climate action in Oregon in 2022.

The Clean Fuels Program is one of Oregon’s most important and cost-effective tools to reduce climate pollution from the largest source in Oregon: burning diesel and gasoline for transportation. While we (myself and MCAT) applaud DEQ’s proposal to extend and increase the CFP’s carbon intensity reduction targets to 20% below 2015 levels by 2030 and 37% below 2015 levels by 2035, we see this as the minimum level of ambition that is feasible and which DEQ should strive for.

The latest U.N. Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) report stated that current policies to limit climate emissions will not be sufficient to avoid catastrophic and irreversible climate impacts. While Oregon has made meaningful progress to address the fossil fuel pollution driving the climate crisis, we are still not on track to achieve our climate goals. Stronger clean fuels targets will help us close this critical gap.

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Transitioning to cleaner fuels in the near-term is feasible. DEQ’s current proposal will achieve carbon intensity reductions of 37% below 2015 levels by 2035. Based on DEQ’s own modeling, during this specific timeframe, Oregon can only achieve a 25% reduction in carbon intensity through electrification alone. Transitioning to cleaner fuels today means maximizing emissions reductions in the years that matter most to avoiding catastrophic climate impacts.

Likewise, I urge DEQ to achieve these new targets through electrification as much as possible, while prioritizing equitable economic outcomes, by encouraging credit-generating utilities to fund affordable and accessible public charging infrastructure in underserved areas such as low-income, BIPOC and rural communities, with an affordable electric car share program.

In addition, the draft fiscal impact statement (FIS) needs to be amended to more accurately
capture the extensive health and jobs benefits of the Clean Fuels Program. The economic benefits identified are extremely conservative estimates, whereas the costs of the program are overestimates. For instance, while the program rewards reductions in lifecycle emissions, the FIS doesn’t incorporate reductions in co-pollutants beyond the tailpipe. It also doesn’t quantify other economic benefits, including job creation, investments, new tax base, waste reduction, and so forth.

In addition, while we appreciate the inclusion of $916 million in benefits when using the federal estimate of the social cost of carbon, this is an extremely conservative estimate, especially when you consider there have already been hundreds of lives lost, thousands of homes and buildings burned, agricultural production losses, lost business days from climate impacts in Oregon in just the last two years alone.

Climate change is already producing devastating impacts in Oregon, and the destruction caused by recent climate-influenced weather events and natural disasters, such as wildfires, droughts, and unprecedented heat waves, have price tags in the billions of dollars.

By establishing a strong carbon intensity target for the program, DEQ will help improve public health by reducing harmful pollutants from tailpipe emissions.

- Every year in Oregon, diesel engine exhaust is responsible for an estimated 176 premature deaths, 25,910 lost work days and annual costs from exposure of $3.5 billion, according to DEQ’s own accounting.
- Oregonians pay for the damage from air toxics through the medical and hospital bills, costly medicine, and missed days of work or school that comes with worse health from breathing dirty air.

With regard for the concerns of the Fossil fuel executives, it is wrong for the oil and gas industry to capitalize and shift blame on high prices today to try to derail climate action.

During the initial development of Oregon’s Clean Fuels Program, the oil industry threatened that this policy would result in a $1 per gallon increase in gas prices. Instead, the reality has been mere pennies on the gallon to achieve the benefits of cleaner air, more energy independence, fewer greenhouse gas emissions, and more economic development in Oregon.

I urge you to remember that price fluctuations do not happen in a vacuum, but rather on a global scale, related to major overseas political upheavals.

We have less than a decade remaining to effectively halve emissions and avoid the worst impacts of climate change. The Clean Fuels Program is a critical tool to reduce near-term emissions in the deciding decade for climate action, as we continue to push for systems-wide change within the transportation sector.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on DEQ’s proposed Clean Fuels Program rules and draft fiscal impact statement,

Harriet Cooke
Retired physician and Climate action team member of: Havurah Shalom, P’nai Or, MCAT, and 350PDX
Portland, 97219
Dept. of Environmental Quality Clean Fuels staff,

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Yours sincerely,

Ian Shelley

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ilene moss
Oregon, 97211, United States

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Jane Heisler
Oregon, 97214, United States

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Janell Brittain

Oregon, 97213, United States

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DEQ Clean Fuels Program Staff,

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Portland, Oregon, 97213, United States

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Oregon, 97701, United States

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Yours sincerely,

lorraine foster

Oregon, 97202, United States

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Dept. of Environmental Quality Clean Fuels staff,

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Lynn Cardiff

Oregon, 97301, United States

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Thank you for your consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Marcel Liberge

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DEQ Clean Fuels Program Staff,
Thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on DEQ’s proposed Clean Fuels Program rules and draft fiscal impact statement. I write to express strong support for maximizing climate, public health, community, and local economic benefits by adopting an ambitious Clean Fuels Program (CFP) expansion. In addition, I urge you to amend the draft fiscal impact statement (FIS) to more accurately capture benefits of the Clean Fuels Program.

The Clean Fuels Program is one of Oregon’s most important and cost-effective tools to reduce climate pollution from the largest source in Oregon: burning diesel and gasoline for transportation. While the DEQ’s proposal to extend and increase the CFP’s carbon intensity reduction targets to 20% below 2015 levels by 2030 and 37% below 2015 levels by 2035 is admirable, this is bar too low. The DEQ should aim higher.

The latest U.N. Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) report stated that current policies to limit climate emissions will not be sufficient to avoid catastrophic and irreversible climate impacts. While Oregon has made meaningful progress to address the fossil fuel pollution driving the climate crisis, our state is still not on track to achieve our climate goals. Stronger clean fuels targets will help us close this critical gap.

At minimum, DEQ should expand the carbon intensity reduction targets to go beyond the current proposed 20% below 2015 levels by 2030 and 37% below 2015 levels by 2035. Strong carbon intensity reduction targets will help move the needle on climate pollution, while improving public health and economic outcomes across Oregon. Cleaner fuels also help increase our energy security and protect Oregonians against harmful oil and gas price fluctuations at the pump: the more we move toward electric vehicles and cleaner fuels made closer to home, the less we have to worry about the price of oil and gas being determined half a world away.

I also urge DEQ to maximize the clean air, climate, and health benefits of the program, by achieving these new targets through electrification as much as possible, and to prioritize equitable economic outcomes, by encouraging credit-generating utilities to fund affordable and accessible public charging infrastructure in underserved areas such as low-income, BIPOC and rural communities.

In addition, the draft fiscal impact statement (FIS) should be amended to more accurately capture the extensive health and jobs benefits of the Clean Fuels Program. The economic benefits identified are extremely conservative estimates, while the costs of the program are overestimates. For instance, while the program rewards reductions in lifecycle emissions, the FIS doesn’t incorporate reductions in co-pollutants beyond the tailpipe. It also doesn’t quantify other economic benefits, including job creation, investments, new tax base, waste reduction, and more.

In addition, while the inclusion of $916 million in benefits when using the federal estimate of the social cost of carbon is appreciated, it’s an extremely conservative estimate, especially when you consider there have already been hundreds of lives lost, thousands of homes and buildings burned, agricultural production losses, lost business days from climate impacts in
Oregon in just the last two years alone.
Thank you for considering my input,
Meg Bowman
Climate Concerned Oregonian
Portland, 97212
Dept. of Environmental Quality Clean Fuels staff,

I am writing to support maximizing climate, public health, community, and local economic benefits by adopting an ambitious Clean Fuels Program expansion.

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Yours sincerely,

Margaret Robinson

Oregon, 97212, United States

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To Whom it May Concern,

Please expand DEQ's clean fuels program.

Thank you,
Maria Nazzaro
DEQ Clean Fuels Program Staff,

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Portland, Oregon, 97202, United States

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Yours sincerely,

Marilyn Bergen

Oregon, 97239, United States

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Marilyn Costamagna

Oregon, 97504, United States

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Portland, Oregon, 97220, United States
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Yours sincerely,
Marissa Wolfheart
Portland, Oregon, 97206, United States

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Dept. of Environmental Quality Clean Fuels staff,

I urge you to adopt an even more ambitious Clean Fuels Program to minimize climate change and improve health. The seriousness of the climate crisis is evident in Oregon. I want our state to take responsibility for our share of the crisis and work to drastically reduce climate pollution from our transportation. The Clean Fuels Standard is already proving a success. Now is the time to take even stronger action and set new targets for lower pollution fuels.

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Marney Reed
Oregon, 97439, United States

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Mary McGeaughey

Oregon, 97030, United States

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Gresham, Oregon, 97030, United States

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MARYGAIL SULLIVAN SULLIVAN

Oregon, 97023, United States

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Matt Riley

Oregon, 97426, United States

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Matthew Smith

Oregon, 97220, United States

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Oregon, 97023, United States

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Public Comment - Clean Fuels Program

To: The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality
Submitted by:
Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon, July 18, 2022
Prepared by:
Kelly Hogan, Climate and Environmental Justice Advocate
Rev. Richenda Fairhurst, EMO Board Member and Chair of the Creation Justice Committee
and Oregon Interfaith Power and Light

We are urging you to expand the Clean Fuels Program.

There is a danger to passing good laws. The danger is that over time, good and effective programs can be whittled down by special or competing interests, making them less effective at what they were designed to do. There is also opportunity. When a good law demonstrates good results, there is the opportunity to continue that good work and increase its effectiveness. Such is the case here. With the demonstrated effectiveness of CFP, the opportunity is to celebrate the good effects, congratulate those who worked hard, and expand the law so more good can be done.

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Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon (EMO) is an organization with a membership of 15 denominations and over 150 congregations, organizations, and interfaith partners, EMO serves hundreds of thousands of diverse members of the faith community all across the state.

Our members share a core and common belief in our obligations to each other and to the Earth. As such, EMO continually advocates for enforceable, measurable emissions reductions that are consistent with the demands of our children and youth and the recommendations of the world’s best climate scientists.

EMO urges the DEQ to maximize climate, public health, and community benefits for Oregon by adopting the strongest Clean Fuels Standard Possible. Further, we encourage the DEQ to expand the carbon intensity reduction targets beyond its current goals. We hope the DEQ
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Thank you.

Rev. Richenda Fairhurst

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To connect with me otherwise, these are the things I get up to:
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Salem, Oregon, 97302, United States

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Oregon, 97215, United States

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Tracy Richards

Oregon, 97015, United States

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Valerie Snyder Snyder
Forest Grove, Oregon, 97116, United States

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Corvallis, Oregon, 97330, United States

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