

I am unable to attend the 7/24 meeting in Portland, but as an Oregon homeowner and member of the Columbia River Estuary Action Team (CREATE), I urge the Board to include strong language to ensure that the plan addresses revenue diversification to alleviate reliance on timber harvest, forest management that mitigates climate change, and management that contributes to the recovery of imperiled species. There has never been a more critical time to protect the lands and waters of our beautiful state.

Sincerely,

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