

To: Beth Patrino (beth.patrino@state.or.us)

Subject: Support for HB 3250

Dear Members of the House Energy and Environment Committee,

We applaud the bold steps that Oregonians are taking to combat climate change, including HB 3250.

Alaska CAN! Climate Action Network is a group of residents who came together to work on climate change solutions here in Alaska. We know the power of the dividend because Alaska has such a program. Each year, every Alaska resident receives a check from the Permanent Fund that pays residents now - and in the future - for the use of oil resources that can only be extracted and sold once.

While Alaska is a fossil-fuel producing state, we are also very much on the front lines of climate change impacts. Up here, it is clear that climate change is *already happening* and that we need to act now - with boldness - to avert catastrophic instability. A mechanism like HB 3250 could be just the tool we need to get our state moving in the right direction! We are watching Oregon closely, hoping that you will craft policy for a vibrant future and set an example that we can follow here at home.

We encourage you to vote in favor of HB 3250. Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,



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