

Testimony of Liza MacKinnon for Senate Bill 24
Written-only Opponent to SB 24

Dear Chairman Thompson and members of the Senate Utilities Committee, my name is Liza MacKinnon and I live Lawrence. I am writing to submit testimony opposing Senate Bill No. 24. Clean energy is popular, safe, profitable, and what we need to stop the climate crisis we are currently in. Gas emissions are dangerous. They harm humans, wildlife, and the animals we raise. Agriculture is a big part of the Kansas economy and greenhouse gases kill cattle, pigs, sheep, everything. I want to continue living in Kansas, I value my life here, and I value our economy. If the argument of the companies supporting this bill is that they will lose revenue, 1) they already have plenty of money, and 2) they should transition like the rest of us to producing clean energy instead of energy killing the planet and us.

Instead, invest in us and our future by rejecting this bill and turning towards clean energy sources instead. Kansas is rich with sunlight and wind and harvesting them improves our quality of life! I urge you to support Kansans and our economic future by rejecting this bill.

Thank you for your consideration.

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