

## CCL Portland chapter notes 7/14/18

1. Bodhi and Joanna thanked chapter via video for donations that allowed them to attend national conference in June. They will use their experience seeing how to exercise political will to lead the Hilo chapter.
2. Chapter member reports from national conference:
  - Tamara: realized that the little things people do at the chapter level absolutely matter.
  - Daniela: being a meeting lead was fantastic; great experience working with a team of highly competent volunteers from other Oregon chapters, focused on a single goal.
  - Kirsten: left conference feeling hopeful and optimistic, empowered, and sometimes overwhelmed!
  - KB: Addicted to going.
  - Brian Ettling: it's great being part of the game of politics.
3. Laster talk on increasing wildfires - Brian (?) did research that is available to our chapter.
5. Immediate action: Call legislators Monday to ask them to oppose the Scalise amendment that is anti- carbon tax!
6. Chapter members invited to join Eric Means in meeting with gubernatorial candidate Knute Buehler and staff (conservative members especially) to discuss carbon fee.
7. Chapter members were invited to sign up for national action teams based on their interest and expertise. Some options: media, health, agriculture, Chinese, broadcast, print media, etc.
8. LTE training by Daniela
  - We could benefit from more folks getting published.
  - See google doc or meeting agenda for LTE cheat sheet, outline and pointers
  - Please sign up for LTE /writers workshop Google group if interested - learn about published articles that are good hooks for LTEs, ask questions of other team members, get resources, etc.
9. Eliane announced that Jordan Cove pipeline comment period is open and comments are needed/welcome to stop what would be a huge carbon source in our backyard - learn more at [NOLNGEXPORTS.ORG](http://NOLNGEXPORTS.ORG)
10. Oral arguments to be heard in Eugene 7/18 in Our Childrens Trust climate action lawsuit. Learn more at [ourchildrenstrust.org](http://ourchildrenstrust.org).
11. Portland CCL chapter will be hosting PNW regional conference in early March 2019 - join a committee!

