

## Ross Hunt

My name is Ross Hunt. R-o-s-s-H-u-n-t. I live in the 48th Legislative District, and I care deeply about a clean environment and a healthy climate. I'm here to testify in support of adoption of the proposed rules for Washington's Advanced Clean Truck and Heavy Duty Low NOx rules. I am fortunate that I have not experienced difficulty breathing, even when we have received alerts about bad air conditions. I have witnessed, however, the acute urgency that my wife experiences when the low... when the Air Now Quality Index is descending through the moderate and into the unhealthy for sensitive groups categories. She has also taught me the need to quickly shift to recirculated air in our car when we get behind a vehicle that is spewing the bad exhaust that is so typical of that emitted by large trucks. And even though I do not experience the same sense of urgency, I can often feel the air quality go down when a large truck passes me as a pedestrian. I know it's not good for me. I believe that the proposed rules will help us eliminate this threat to our health. I urge you to adopt the proposed Advanced Clean Truck and Heavy Duty Low-NOX rules. Thank you for your attention.