



HB22-1348 Oversight Of Chemicals Used In Oil & Gas

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Energy & Environment 1:30 pm | Room LSB-A

Written Testimony: Oppose

Mr. Chair and fellow committee members. My name is Summer Hill, and I'm a Government Affairs Manager at the Denver Metro Chamber of Commerce. The following comments are submitted on behalf of the Chamber.

For 154 years, the Denver Metro Chamber of Commerce has been a leading voice for Colorado's business community, advocating for sound policy that strengthens our economy and makes our state the best place to live, work and do business.

We are writing today to express the Chamber's opposition to HB22-1348.

Protecting Coloradans is a high priority for the Chamber and our members. We also support and promote initiatives that contribute to a healthy lifestyle for Colorado residents. However, we feel that HB22-1348 is duplicative of other regulations and standards that are already administered by the Department of Public Health and Environment to track chemicals that may harm our community.

Additional and unnecessary legislation is a waste of taxpayer dollars and would create more barriers for businesses that are already participating in the effort to keep Colorado safe.

We urge the members of this committee to vote no on this bill.