

Chair Brad Witt, and committee members House Agriculture and Natural Resources,

I am a small-scale miner, prospector and rockhound. I have always taken care not to leave any sign where I have prospected or had a small mining operation. always had a legal claim and with approved plans of operations.

I support House Bill 2841, if passed I think it will help the access and use of the public and private land & water and protect the land from abuse and give us a voice. Thank you:

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