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HB 3040

Chairman Clem and Members of the Land Use Committee:

This testimony for HB 3040 is on behalf of the Yamhill County Farm Bureau, based on our vote at our March 12, 2013 Board Meeting.

For many years we have been opposed the landfill that is presently located in Yamhill County because of its location on EFU land, proximity to a major waterway, city and residential homes, and high value agricultural lands producing specialty crops.

Landfills, with all the associated problems should not be permitted on EFU land. EFU land needs to be preserved for its intended use, FARMING and PRODUCING FOOD. Therefore we emphatically support HB 3040 and would urge this committee to vote for its passage.

Jerry Mann, President  
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