



Old Aurora Colony Ox Barn, Aurora, Oregon Clark Moor Will 1966

City of Aurora

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"National Historic Site"

February 13, 2015

Hon. Lee Beyer
900 Court St. NE, S-419
Salem, Oregon 97301

Re: SB 534

Dear Senator Beyer:

SB 534, which would affect the rights of state airports and cities, was referred to the Senate Committee on Business and Transportation. I understand that proponents of the bill have asserted that the City of Aurora is in favor of the bill. The City Council has not taken a position in favor nor in opposition to the bill

The City of Aurora has concerns about the bill and its impact on the city. For that reason, the bill is currently being considered by our Planning Commission and I anticipate the City Council will take public comment on it no later than early March.

I understand you have scheduled the bill for a hearing on February 16. Unfortunately, I will not be able to appear at the hearing. I ask that you inform your committee that the City of Aurora at this point has no position on the bill. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Bill Graupp
Mayor, City of Aurora

cc: City Council