

Dear Senators,

I am a third generation farmer in the Klamath Basin. My family and I farm close to 10,000 acres in this region and plan to continue our tradition of providing quality crops and viable jobs to our community for years to come. We are stewards of the land in all that we do and need your support for the Temporary Transfer and Lease legislation (SB 206).

As you may know, our region has experienced its fair share of droughts over the years but does not have the tools available to other water users in the State to manage the available water supply with flexibility in temporary water transfers or leases. SB 206 will offer a temporary change to existing law allowing us the flexibility to mitigate the risks of droughts and continue to provide for our families and community. Please support this legislation in the vote tomorrow.

Best Regards,

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