

Dear Ms. Freeman,

I am writing to ask you to support House Bill 2469 which would restore the right of local farmers and their communities to protect their crops and farmland by establishing GMO-free zones. My family produces some of our food in our large garden. We rely on local farmers for much of the organic produce we buy, and appreciate their contribution to the health of our family and community. As a consumer, it is important for us to support the right of farmers to grow their specialty crops and protect them from the risks of contamination by genetically engineered crops.

Please share my comments with members of the House Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Sincerely,

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