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Dear Chair Dembrow and members of the Senate Committee on Environment and Natural Resources:

SB 644 would make several negative changes to laws concerning mining and mining resources. As there are already adequate and local processes to obtain permits for mining on EFU land, this bill seems to want to fix something that isn't broken.

In addition SB 3 is already dealing with suction dredge mining standards, so again this bill seems to want to fix something that is already being dealt with. And it would wipe out years of collaborative work by both proponents and opponents of motorized dredge mining.

Thank you for the opportunity to express my opposition to SB 644.

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