

Dear Chair Burdick, Co-Chair Lininger and Committee,

My name is Linda Pheasant and I live in Deschutes County. I am writing this letter to support Deschutes County Commissioners and oppose any attempts through the SB1057 amendment to try and remove any of the current marijuana regulatory time, manner, and place regulations.

I have great concern for the care and long-term vision of our rural communities. Deschutes is a legacy to this State because of its pristine nature, quiet nights, and star-filled skies. We must not allow marijuana to be an agricultural crop existing amongst our schools, families, and farm land! The potential light and noise pollution, offensive smell, and non-stop activity do not meet the criteria for a safe and welcoming rural environment.

If the marijuana industry wants fairness then they should be required to abide by all County, State, and Federal laws like all other rural farmers.

I am strongly opposed to any attempts that would undo the marijuana regulation work in Deschutes County.

Thank you for your time.

Linda Pheasant