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The Honorable Jinny Burdick and Ann Lininger, Co-Chairs
Joint Committee of Marijuana Regulation
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My name is Mike Kline. In my younger years I was raised on a cattle ranch in Eastern Oregon(Sumpter Valley). My career took me many places, but at retirement, my wife and I wanted to return our roots. We purchased a small ranch near Sisters as it offers all the best of Central and Eastern Oregon.

We did not support the legalization of marijuana, but being law abiding citizens, we accept the wishes of the majority of Oregon voters. However, the majority of the residents of Central and Eastern Oregon voted against the measure and is indicative of the differences in the cultures of Western Oregon and the eastern part of the state. With that in mind, it stands to reason we have some semblance of control over the growing of marijuana in our county. It is frustrating to many of us that Eastern and Central Oregon are dictated to by the the more populist area of the state.

Please, let those closest to and most knowledgeable of the wishes of the residents of Deschutes County control the issues regarding the growing of marijuana.

Sincerely

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