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Via Email

Oppose HB3272

House Agricultural and Land Use Committee 900 Court Street, NE
Salem, Oregon 97301

Dear Chairman Clem and Committee Members,

HB 3272 is a bad bill. Our county farm bureau has been through the LUBA process several times. This bill would greatly impact our ability to have the record corrected and not have the clock ticking while waiting for LUBA to respond with a denial or approval for our request about the record.

The ability to object to the record and have it corrected is key to preparing an accurate view of the facts in any LUBA case, and LUBA can already grant legal fees.

If this bill passes you will be changing how everyday citizens can file to LUBA an appeal(s) and ask for clarification of the record, making it mainly a process for lawyers. It is about a timeline that would start ticking once a denial is issued that would be a burden to the everyday citizens trying to use the process like we do.

The question that arises is there data that this is a real problem in LUBA appeals. Wouldn't it make more sense that if there appears to be a systemic problem from an individual to allow LUBA to have a review board to handle complaints and have a process for LUBA to apply sanctions.

Oregon has always been very adamant and proud about citizens' input and ability to be involved without an attorney. Please oppose this bill and send it to a workgroup to see if there is a problem.

Sincerely,

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