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House Committee on Agriculture and Land Use

RE: Opposition to HB 2456

Dear Chair Clem and Members of the Committee:

To put it as simply as I can , HB 2456 is a stupid thing to do! It flies in the face of any semblance of good planning and allows the exact kind of thing that SB 100 was implemented to address.

It makes no sense on a multitude of different levels...

Farming conflicts,

Reducing our carbon footprint,

Providing services to additional rural residences that do not pull there weight in taxes,

Further degrading the already compromised integrity of the landscape in our EFU zones.

There are better solutions to the housing issues than HB2456, these decisions have permanent impact to the landscape. They cannot be taken back once they are done . We have enough of a legacy of poor planning around this state we do not need to add to it. Future generations will thank you for stopping this badly conceived bill.

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