

To Whom it May Concern,

Please support HB 3239- the bill limiting the processing of cannabis to safe industrial zones. The processing and chemicals required for cannabis refinement is best done in industrial parks where fire and hazmat services are better equipped to respond to leaks or fires. Should the processing not be relegated to industrial parks, we are risking rural areas and neighborhoods to threats of explosions and subsequent fires. Oregonians have seen first hand how vulnerable we are to the threat of fire- I and my family were evacuated from our home for a week last September. As my representative, I urge you to advocate for this bill, be proactive in protecting our beautiful state, and vote in favor of HB 3239.

Sincerely,
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