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To: House Committee on Veterans and Emergency Management; others

Re: I OPPOSE [HB 2379]...C'mon create fees or taxes to deter and punish Urban Growth Boundary expansions!

The Resource Economy (Agriculture, Timber products, Fisheries and Mining) cannot tolerate addition problems foisted upon them by the Legislature.

Log prices are low and Lumber Mills have slowed production and will close under [HB 2379].

[HB 2379] is a "Sales Tax" no matter how it is packaged.

VOTE "NO" on [HB 2379]!

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ David S. Wall

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