Dear Chair Holvey and Members of the Committee,

My name is Rory Cowal; I live in Portland and I am pleased to offer my support for HB 2574. As someone who is concerned about the health of our land, air, and water, I welcome an option for death care that is environmentally sustainable. Natural organic reduction is also a profoundly beautiful way to honor mortality and close the story of one's life in a body. It is the option I would choose for myself and my loved ones.

I ask for your support of this important legislation.

Sincerely, Rory Cowal Portland, OR 97213