Submitter: Angelita Sanchez

On Behalf Of: 65000 members working the land

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and Wildfire Recovery

Measure: SB1534

. SB 1534 defines "natural and working lands and waters" broadly to include, among other uses, land used for forest product operations, ranching, farming, and outdoor recreation. The directive of SB 1534 is for governmental entities to encourage monitoring activities on natural and working lands and develop a carbon sequestration inventory for these lands and waters.

This is another sneaky version of cap and trade. And if you think we aren't paying attention, we are.

We do NOT believe that you as the government have any right to set up a stacked committee to further your agenda to control monitor or the likes of personal property. Oregon is littered with bureaucrats and we need less not more.

There is nothing equitable and there is no environmental justice without actually having the committee full of people who work the lands. Unless you allow the people to VOTE and appoint a Logger, rancher, farmer, miner and fisher to the committee. It is out of balance.

We strongly oppose SB1534 and you have done a disservice to the people by buddying this bill up next to the AG overtime public hearing.