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Sale of sickly dogs and kittens are a consumer protection issue. By preventing additional stores from selling poorly treated dogs and cats, this legislation will drive the pet market toward humane sources, shelters, rescues, and responsible breeders. Please protect consumers and animals with this legislation.

More than 440 municipalities, including Bend, and six states—including California and Washington—have already enacted humane pet store laws. Without this legislation, Oregon will remain an open market for the puppy mill industry and its pet store sales outlets. I urge this body to take action to end this brutal practice.