

To: Senate Natural Resources Committee  
From: Anne Kiley  
Re: Support for SB85, the factory farm moratorium bill

Dear Chair Golden and Members of the Senate Natural Resources Committee,

My name is Anne Kiley, and I live in Portland.

I support a factory farm moratorium in Oregon. I am writing because I believe the clear agricultural and climate science which proves that factory-farms pollute the air, the water and the soil; the carbon footprint of factory farms contribute significantly to the earth's ongoing climate chaos.

The most recent UN paper on climate change clearly explains the damage that large-scale farming does to the environment, and pointed to the way toward small-scale, hyper-local food production as a way to significantly cut existing factory-farm damage, and to mitigate extreme climate change.

Oregon could lead the country into a food production revolution by banning factory farming in the state and incentivizing small, local agriculture instead.

To fully plan such a revolution, a moratorium on new factory farms must be enacted.

I urge you to vote for SB85 in the 2023 legislative session to protect our climate, environment, rural communities, and family farms.

Sincerely,

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