

Submitter: Michael Lester

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources

Measure: SB85

As a 50+ year member of the Jordan community, we at Mason, Bruce & Girard, Inc. would like to voice our opposition to the proposed Evergreen CAFO near our office for the Avery Family Forest. The proposed facility would be less than a mile from our office. The amount of chicken ammonia blowing from fans may make our office nonfunctional, not to mention the impact on nearby water resources, on which our operation and this community depends. The potential negative impacts include declining property values and devastation to the rural character of the area. We urge the legislature to vote yes on this bill. Thank you.

Michael Lester

President