From: Linda Baehr, Salem, Oregon Re: Support for SB85, the factory farm moratorium bill

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

My name is Linda Baehr, and I live in Salem, OR. I support a factory farm moratorium in Oregon. I am writing as a volunteer with Food & Water Watch.

I don't want mega chicken farms using our precious limited water supply that is suppose to be for produce farmers. The land is also top quality for produce. I am also concerned about the quality of life for the animals, the pollution to our land, air and water supply. Not to mention, the effects on children that live nearby these proposed sites and peoples housing becoming unsellable. This is not what oregon wants.

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

Sincerely, Linda Baehr Volunteer with Food & Water Watch