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I strongly support SB85. We need to favor the development of small neighborhood farm enterprises. Such a far better for the environment, in cluding climate change. The food produced tends to be bette3r fr local consumers as well. Further, these megafarms tend to be harder on livestock and other animals. In general such animals thrive in smaller agricultural units where they receive more attention. The state of Oregon needs to pay far more attention to the treatment of farm animals, especially in mega-farm environments. Thank you.