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Factory farms are major pollutants of our water sources, and disproportionately affect communities that live near the farms and may not have a choice. In order to protect water sources in Oregon, we need to reevaluate our farms and find new ways to provide the food that communities need. There are many alternatives to large scale factory farms, alternatives that have less of a negative impact on our water sources and our environment. We need to scale back on factory farms, stop expanding the practice, and explore alternate options for growing and providing food for Oregon.