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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural  
Resources, and Water

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3103

Hello,

I'm writing to urge you to oppose HB 3103. Our State Forests are a precious resource, and we must prioritize protecting them for wildlife conservation efforts, carbon sequestration and recreational purposes over timber considerations.

As a life-long Oregon resident, our forests are a major part of what I love about our state. Beyond their natural beauty, leaving them intact and protected supports the well-being of our environment and our climate. factors that affect us all (as well as generations to come). I urge you to employ wisdom and long-sightedness—as climate change continues to worsen, our children and our children's children will thank us for protecting our State Forest ecosystems intact.

Sincerely,  
Joellen Sweeney