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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and  
Wildfire

Measure, Appointment or  
Topic: SB1153

I am a 5th generation farmer that holds 1900's water rights. I oppose SB 1153. In order to be productive, profitable and responsible stewards of the land we need to transfer water rights to the ground that requires it for yearly crop rotations. The current system works. This bill just adds additional red tape, time and costs to family farms. Family farms in Oregon are already struggling. This bill will just put more of them out of business.