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I feel this bill should be supported because overall it may help prevent them from selling to mega agriculture operations AND creates awareness of smaller farms and their benefits for visitors and the community.

This is a difficult time for small business in many industries. We are seeing a general trend toward larger corporations taking over and we need small businesses to have many opportunities to flex so they can survive.

It is also a way for people of different cultures and resources to see farming up close. Food/wine/flowers/soap/wool are all appreciated differently when they have a memory and place to associate them with

Please give these farms every opportunity to survive