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On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and Water
Measure, Appointment or HB4153
Topic:

My Name is Monique and I am a community member that 100% supports as many farm stands as I can. I am writing to you to express my opposition to HB 4153. Farm stands are a vital part of communities - connecting neighbors and community members as well as the farmers, ranchers and gardeners of our community. It is also the only way to get fresh, non-chemical sprayed produce. HB 4153 would restrict who is allowed to have a farm stand, and give large land owners privileges at the expense of small farm stands in Oregon. This bill will harm the small farmers that take care of their local neighbors and community members first hand. They know us by name and where we live and why we live where we do. We need to find a better solution.

Thank you for your time and listening to me,

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