

Submitter: Emma Dane

On Behalf Of:

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

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4153

Re: HB 4153

Co-Chairs Helm and Owens, Vice-Chair Finger McDonald, and members of the House Committee on Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and Water:

My Name is Emma Dane and I am a community member in Langlois. I am writing to you today to express my opposition to HB 4153 and would encourage the committee to find a solution that would benefit all Oregon Farmers, both large and small landowners.

I feel strongly that small farms should have the same opportunities to sell their produce as larger farms. The farmstands that the small farms offer are assets to our community and a joy for the local traveler to discover as they wind their way up or down the Oregon Coast. They help bring the local communities together, build relationships and educate the younger generations and those of us 'city folk' who never grew up near a farm.

I do not understand why a bill would eliminate the opportunity for a local farmstand to exist, we need to find a better solution please.

Thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Emma Dane