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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Housing and Development

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1522

Dear Chair Pham and Committee Members:

I am writing today to urge you to oppose SB 1522-1. We need to keep the “prioritization scheme” which ensures a balance between accommodating urban use and protecting Oregon’s vital farm and forest lands. This bill ends that balance.

Please don’t upend the many years of work by the Department of Land Conservation and Development and many stakeholders which resulted in the 2025 LCDDC adoption of rules implementing the Oregon Housing Needs Analysis.

Our land use planning is a big reason Oregon is not just urban sprawl. I am so grateful for how we have kept our cities mostly in the cities, and the countryside (both farms and wildlands) vital and unthreatened by sprawl. Let Oregon remain Oregon!
Oppose SB 1522-1!

Sincerely, a 5th generation Oregonian