

February 25, 2013

To: Sen. Committee on Rural Communities and Econ Development
From: Aileen Kaye; 10095 Parrish Gap Rd., SE; Turner, OR 97392

Re: **No** on SB 77

Dear Chair Roblan and Members of the Committee:

I urge you to vote "No" on SB 77. My major opposition is the proposed extremely high filing /deposit fee totaling \$2000. This is up from the current fee of \$400.

(10)(a) A person that petitions for review under subsection (2) of this section shall submit a filing fee of \$1,000 and a deposit for costs of \$1,000.

(b) A person that intervenes under subsection (7) of this section shall submit a filing fee of \$750.

The purpose of LUBA is to avoid the time and expense of a court. The purpose of LUBA is also to meet the intent of Goal 1 of our land use laws.

Oregon's Statewide Planning Goals & Guidelines
GOAL 1: CITIZEN INVOLVEMENT
OAR 660-015-0000(1)

I urge you to allow us to retain our rights to protest land use decisions via LUBA. Please vote "No" on SB 77.

Thank you.

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