

House Transportation and Development Committee

Re: HB 4092

Dear Chairperson McLain, Vice Chair Vial, Senate President Courtney, House Speaker Kotek, and members of the House Transportation Committee:

Earth Science Products, Corp. is located on Airport Rd., north of Aurora Airport, in Clackamas County and is directly impacted by the flight path of planes landing and taking-off at the airport.

I request that legislators oppose HB 4092 for the following reasons:

Oppose a process that has excluded directly impacted property/business owners from meaningful participation and representation – Clackamas County and the City of Wilsonville were not included in the process.

Oppose legislative method designed to circumvent existing land use laws for the benefit of one property user – Aurora Airport.

Oppose expansion of Airport until important issues are positively addressed such as, but not limited to, transportation infrastructure and municipal services.

Oppose change of EFU land for non-agricultural development. The area immediately north of Aurora Airport, in Clackamas County, recently went through an exhaustive process t determine the development future – urban or rural. That decision was overwhelmingly to protect the rural agricultural use of the area.

Oppose HB 4092 because of the process, the method, the failure to address important issue and the clear will of the people in the area.

Thank you for your considerations

Sincerely,

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