

## Watts Remy

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Senator Jeff Golden and To whom it may concern:

**We would love to see Oregon prohibit aerial herbicide spraying on state-owned forest lands.** This is an outdated practice, we know better, the data of all the things these poisons affect is out there. These forests provide drinking water to downstream communities. Aerial herbicide sprays are ultra-hazardous because herbicides can drift for miles. Our state forests and public funds should not be used to put drinking water and rural communities at risk of being exposed to herbicides.

While we prefer prohibiting these sprays if they continue the notification system should be updated.

- Notify residents 48 hours prior to herbicide sprays
- Distinguish between aerial and ground sprays
- Report types and amounts of pesticides used to the state regulators
- Keep forestry spray records for 7 years (instead of 3 years)

Thank you very much,

Kirsten and Christopher Shockey