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My name is Nikki Woods. Maiden name Nikki Flescher, and I'd like to tell you about my family. We are a family that has worked in the Logging Industry for many generations. We are a family of Oregonians by heritage, birth, and residence as my ancestors made the journey to Oregon on the Oregon Trail. Many reside today in the small rural coastal town of Waldport.

The Flescher's are proud Oregonians, and are proud to be a part of an industry that is the backbone of Oregon's economy.

My dad, Allen Flescher, worked in the lumber mill called Alsea Veneer before he started hauling logs in the 1980s. He continues to haul logs to this day. His son, Troy Flescher, worked summers as a choker setter for Smallwood Logging.

My uncle, David Flescher, also worked at the mill in years past before he became a truck driver hauling logs. David's son, Roger Flescher, currently works at the Georgia Pacific paper mill.

My grandfather, Abraham Flescher, worked in the woods; in the saw mill; and as a mechanic for a logging outfit.

My great grandmother, Bertina Flescher, worked as a Fire watch.

Not only will HB1530 directly affect my family, but it will destroy the logging and farming industries. The trickle down effect of this horrendous bill will destroy many Oregon businesses and will collapse our State's economy. So please, I beg of you, Let's Keep Oregon Great! - - No on HB1530.

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