

What a terrible bill!!! I am surprised that this bill could make it this far in a legislature that is predominantly Democratic. Oregon's land use system is the envy of the world. The Oregon Department of Agriculture literally gets enquiries from around the world about how to adopt similar protections for land in foreign countries. WHY in the WORLD would anyone vote to allow building on farmland?

I strongly urge a no vote. PLEASE VOTE NO. Keep Oregon special, protect her productive farm and ranchlands, and vote to keep housing within urban growth boundaries so we can continue to have vibrant towns with a clear line between towns and the surrounding working landscapes.