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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment

Measure: HB2396

Committee Chair Marsh and Committee Members,

I am a farmer in Central Oregon, I farm with my family. I ask you to oppose HB2396.

Our family farm has had to endure a lot of mandates and taxing that the legislature has passed in the last 4 years. Our family has been in Oregon for five generations and we hope to be able to stay farming here in Oregon. We can not keep being mandated to do more and more without something giving. Environmental Quality Commission (EQC) implementing indirect source pollution mandates is just another way that you say we don't want farming in the state of Oregon. This bill is directly aimed at farmers as a non point source.

If you value natural resources, open space and farming in this beautiful state you will oppose HB 2396.