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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources

Measure: SB795

I'm a native Oregonian that is deeply rooted in Douglas county. I own several businesses and work in an industry that utilizes wood products. Most of the citizens of Douglas County remember when timber receipts helped make Douglas County a very wealthy county. We had very nice parks, good infrastructure and a growing local economy. Since that time, the local timber harvests have pretty much been limited to private land. The private land owners are thriving with the income, but our county is suffering financially. SB 795 would put the control back in the local governments hands, the people that speak for us, the citizens of Douglas County. Please consider giving that control back to the people that this restriction has had the biggest affect on. I encourage you to pass SB 795.

Darren