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Governor Tom McCall and so many other courageous Oregon visionaries have left us a stellar legacy of preserving and augmenting one of our best commodities: our land. Once built on, there is no going back which is why the present leadership in this state needs to think outside the box and research ways to build on the vacant land that already exists inside our Urban Growth Boundaries.

The two discussions, providing viable jobs by being part of the "CHIPS Act" and preserving our land for future generations should not be in competition but coexist because both these entities are possible if we have the insight, wisdom and integrity that our past Oregon leaders possessed.

Thank you, Kelsey Green Grout, native Oregonian