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I strongly support SB85, to forbid factory farms in Oregon.

Extreme confinement is the defining feature of factory farms. It causes boredom, frustration, stress, and other serious welfare concerns for farmed animals. One lesson from the COVID-19 pandemic is that animal welfare and human welfare go together. Thus, for factory farms, in the United States airborne emissions from livestock production are responsible for thousands of (human) deaths each year.

We can do better than cruelty to animals and unwholesome conditions for people. Please support SB85.