

Submitter: Catherine Bax

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Semiconductors

Measure: SB4

Dear Joint Committee on Semiconductors,

I am opposed to SB 4. Oregon farm land is valuable as farm land. And it is valuable to the people to have farmland near the cities. I am 74 years old, grew up here in Portland and have seen so many of the near by farms taken by industry and sprawl. I so appreciate the region's decision to have an Urban Growth Boundary and hope that it is respected now. There is plenty of land inside the UGB for semi conductor sites. Just looking around, I am aware of plenty of dying shopping malls and other areas in the UGB that might be used for business expansion.

Sincerely,

Catherine Bax

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