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To: Chair Nathanson, Vice-Chairs Reschke and Walters, and members of the House Revenue Committee

From: Paul Bizon, Bizon Nursery, LLC

RE: HB 4111, farm equipment tax exemption clarification

Dear chairpersons and members,

My name is Paul Bizon of Bizon Nursery, LLC, we are based in Hubbard, Oregon, and I urge you to support House Bill 4111.

House Bill 4111 will clarify the tax exemption for farm equipment, resolving confusion over whether a piece of equipment is affixed to a building (taxable) or not (exempt). It means the same equipment will be taxed the same across properties and counties, and we hope it will make it easier for assessors to calculate the value of property taxes on farms.

Urge support for HB 4111, which will clarify which farm equipment is exempt from property taxes. This is important because growers shouldn't have to spend a lot of time figuring this out.

Best regards,

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