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On Behalf Of: Farmer's Markets
Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural
Resources, and Water
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2979

Dear Committee Members:

I believe you met this morning about Measure 2979, but I still want to express my support for the funding of farmer's markets. I'm a simple patron of the markets, and very much appreciate being able to buy fresh food directly from farmers. My vegetables are cut in the morning and I'm getting the highest possible nutrition that way. And the entire food dollar goes to the farmer. I did tax work with small farmers for years and they're making very little money but growing this important resource for us as a labor of love. Please don't pull the rug out from under the farmer's market system.

Sincerely,
Eleanore Despina