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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Housing and Homelessness

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2422

An Oregon resident as of late 1979, I am abhorred at the never ending attempts and pressures by developers to destroy our forest and farmland. Now they want to consider homes on one acre as rural on lands beyond our UGB?!

With so many more residents having moved here, with increased traffic and tourism development, we have impacted not only the viability of our farms because of limited water resources and increased land prices, reduced our precious wildlife by chopping up their habitat and draining rivers and lakes, but also vastly contributed to wildfires. We are lucky to live a state which has so much natural beauty still and brings in millions of \$\$\$ in tourism money.

Let's be smart and keep it that way. Please oppose this bill. Thank you for your consideration. Gisela Ryter