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Please, accept my written testimony,.

I am not in favor of HB 3419. Private wells are not a slush fund for the state of Oregon. Well owners have already paid for the permits, equipment that runs them, and pipping. This is an attack on rural Oregon, farmers, and those not living in the cities.

This will raise the cost of food and transportation to the marketplace. Oregon is one of the worst states on taxation and putting the disproportion of taxation on hard working Oregonians.

Thank you,

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