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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2679

I am writing in support of HB 2679 to restrict the use of neonicotinoid pesticides. These pesticides are highly toxic to pollinators and other beneficial insects. They are persistent and mobile in the environment, not only affecting insects on the plants to which they are applied, but contaminating soil and water and harming fish, birds, and people. Oregon should join Washington, California, Nevada, and others in restricting these harmful pesticides.

Thank you!