Submitter:	Gail Buteau
On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and Water
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB3103

Dear Co-Chairs Helm and Owens, and Members of the Committee,

I stand with Bird Alliance of Oregon in opposing House Bill 3103 and its amendments. As they state, "This timber industry bill undermines the state forest habitat conservation plan and would result in more clear-cuts, more lawsuits, less habitat for salmon and wildlife, and less carbon storage."

Please oppose this bill. Instead, I focus on measures that would increase carbon storage in our state forests and safeguard our public resources for future generations.

Please don't let this bill pass out of committee.

Sincerely, Gail L. Buteau