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| On Behalf Of: | |
| Committee: | House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment |
| Measure, Appointment or Topic: | HB2679 |
| March 5, 2025 Subject: HB 2679 | |

Dear Chair Lively, Vice-Chair Gamba, Vice-Chair Levy, and Members of the House Committee on Climate, Energy, and Environment

I support HB 2679.

Bees and other pollinators are essential to our ecosystem, our economy, and our own survival.

Neonicotinoid pesticides are extremely deadly for bees and other pollinators, even in very small concentrations. These pesticides are responsible for a sharp decline in pollinator population around the world.

Restricting the use of neonicotinoid pesticides on residential landscapes is a step in the right direction for helping pollinators survive.

Please pass HB2679 in order to protect pollinators' populations in Oregon from collapse.

Thank you, Sarah Chaney