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On Behalf Of:  
Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and  
Wildfire  
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB78

Senate Committee on Natural Resources and Wildfire,

I am writing today to oppose SB 78 limiting the size of replacement homes. The legislature should not be dictating to landowners or homeowners what size of home they should build or replace. This is a complete socialist idea and must not be allowed. I am disappointed in our elected officials to even be considering this action! What happened to the pursuit of life liberty and happiness? This is America and you are infringing on these rights.

In 2005 I replaced a single wide mobile home of 1,200 square feet. I worked hard in order to build my new home of 2,100 square feet. Under your proposed bill I would not be able to complete this replacement. The County would not have the additional tax revenues that my improvement value is worth. I would not have my needs met and the list goes on.

SB 78 needs to be removed and not passed out of this committee!

Thank you,  
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