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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Labor and Workplace
Standards

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2548

My name is Monique Bochsler, and I am writing to express my strong opposition to HB 2548. This bill will impose unnecessary regulations on farmers and ranchers, ultimately harming their workers. The individuals advocating for HB 2548 clearly lack an understanding of the complexities of the farming and ranching sectors. These industries operate beyond the typical 9-5 schedule, with daily and seasonal variations heavily influenced by weather conditions. Rather than enhancing workers' rights, this legislation will drive more individuals out of their jobs and jeopardize their businesses and futures. We must support our farmers and ranchers and alleviate the burdens faced by Oregonians. It is crucial to consider the future of agriculture; if bills like this are enacted, why would the next generation choose to pursue farming? I urge you to vote against this bill.

Monique Bochsler