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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and

Wildfire

Measure, Appointment or

Topic:

SB1076

Please OPPOSE SB 1076 as this bill is redundant to laws that already exist. Oregon already maintains some of the strictest animal welfare laws in the country (ORS 167.374 and ORS 609.420) that delineate care for animals, breeding practices and control cruelty. Additional bills are unnecessary and likely to be costly to the taxpayers and state, as it will take time and additional people to enforce more rules & regulations.

The passage of this bill would also negatively impact and harm programs such as FFA and 4H which teach kids to be responsible and care for animals. Farmers with livestock & working animals, service animals and small scale quality breeders would to be negatively impacted by bills like this, threatening livelihoods, essential education and those that rely on animals to assist them with disabilities.

Please vote NO on SB1076.

Thank you for your time & consideration.