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As a property owner, a small farm owner and a person that relies on water for people, animals and crops to survive, I am very afraid of this legislation, will eventually take away my rights to own and operate my own property. If this passes, the state will use, bully tactics, take my rights away and supplant them with privileges which they will then take those away if I don't give them a bribe of money couched as a "tax" or a "permit" and tell me I can only use a certain amount of water. They do not have the right to take my land or my water which is part of my land and does not belong to the State of Oregon. We all were endowed by our Creator with certain Unalienable Rights that among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness. Passing this legislation would be a direct infringement on my rights as a human and as an Oregonian.