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Small family farms are integral to Oregon's culture, community and economy. If they cannot make enough money to survive then we will lose forever a piece of what makes Oregon such a special place to live and eat.

Especially these days hardworking farmers should be allowed opportunities to grow and thrive, not given more restrictive bureaucracy to navigate and permit fees to pay. Small farms mean more to their local communities than many people realize. Sadly sometimes those people only recognize this after the farms are gone. Let's not let that happen.