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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and Water

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4006

Water for Eastern Oregon is excited to support HB 4006. This bill will allow senior users to voluntarily commit their water supplies for the benefit of the district, strengthen transparency and accountability, reduce unnecessary administrative complexity, ensure accurate measurement and reporting, and support aquifer recovery and drought resilience. This bill will not eliminate state oversight or enforcement, create new water rights, or weaken Columbia River protections.