

Submitter: Mark Henjum

On Behalf Of:

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

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4105

Co-Chairs Helm and Owens, members of the Committee,

Please oppose HB4105. We should not waste time considering a bill that weakens protections for Oregon state forests. We should not require the Department of Forestry to pass a timber harvest rule that would prioritize clear-cut timber harvest over all other forest resources e.g. clean water, fish and wildlife, and public recreation. This bill also threatens to undermine implementation the state forest Habitat Conservation Plan and the Climate Change and Carbon Plans for state forests. Please oppose this bill.

Sincerely,
Mark Henjum