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On Behalf Of:

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

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4105

Dear Committee Members,

I'm writing to strongly encourage you to oppose HB4105. As I understand it, this bill would have negative effects on wildlife and forest health. In an age of climate change and declining forest health, we need to do more to ensure a healthy environment for wildlife and people.

This bill appears to be in opposition to the state forest habitat conservation plan and would lead to increased clearcuts and loss of carbon-storing forests, and damage to habitat.

We all need lumber, clean air, and health habitat. There's a better way to get it. I encourage you to keep this bill from advancing.

Thank you.