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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1586

I am strongly opposed to this bill. It is abhorrent to even consider paving over some of the best farmland in the world for an industrial land grab, to build data centers that will poison surrounding communities, and a horrible precedent for the Legislature to set. If you destroy these soils and wetlands, you destroy the hopes of future generations. To do this knowing that there is already plenty of existing industrial zoned land in Hillsboro for these parasitic data centers, indicates that the Governor and the legislators supporting this bill value short term profits over the long term health and prosperity of our communities. I urge you to oppose this bill.