

Submitter: Janet Black

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1586

Please vote no on SB 1586. This bill allows development on rural reserves, which should remain protected (as originally planned ) until 2065.

This bill places more emphasis on allowing industrial development than protecting our valuable soils. Agriculture is so important to our economy.

Allowing this kind of development would harm the surrounding agricultural economy, would negatively impact watersheds and wetland habitats.

Please give priority to us - the common Oregonians- not the few property owners who would benefit enormously if this bill were passed.

I am an Oregonian who has lived here all of my life.

Thank you for considering my comments.

Please vote no.