

I am vehemently opposed to this bill, as it encourages further senseless development of high quality farmland. People can't eat semiconductors. Data centers are extremely destructive to the communities they are forced on, including degradation of the environment, pollution of drinking water, massive reduction in fresh water available for human use and horrendous spikes in energy bills for citizens. As a lifetime citizen of the Forest Grove/Hillsboro area it sickens me that my state senator continues to push for these tax breaks. Has there not been enough land development over the past 30 years? Is there no already developed land these businesses can use instead? I've seen all the farmland around my home swallowed up by developers and industry and I'm writing to express my feelings that enough is *enough*.

We need real economic development, not giveaways to greedy land speculators and data centers receiving huge tax breaks. I urge Senator Sollman to *listen* to the regular people who make up her constituency and are opposed to this land development and further massive tax breaks. Please vote this down and find better ways to support our economy than continued sacrifice of shrinking natural resources upon the altar of corporations.