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As a member of the community and of Oregon, my family and I are requesting that the new rules not be ratified and put into practice. My family and I are pursuing a course of life to invest in the local community and provide food as for those around us as well as ourselves and the new rules would make it dreams and ability to serve out community near impossible. These new rules hamstring anyone who desires to market garden and to homestead. We need the ability to access the water and utilize it. Kindly reconsider the course which you are moving toward and with with local farmers and gardens who provide our communities with so many amazing resources.

Thank you

Jesse Edwards