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Committee: Joint Committee On Semiconductors
Measure: SB4

To all concerned and able to vote on this bill - SB4

We have seen and read the letter from Thousand Friends and totally concur. Since time is limited, this response is brief but LOUD reflecting out shock, dismay and outrage. We voted for and promoted Gov. Kotek!!!! We love you but this proposal to usurp power and betray those of us who have fought--and succeeded and in preserving our vineyards, farms and ranches...soils, streams, cleaner air and wildlife for many, many decades are dispmayed@

In short, and in reference to all the discussion in the Thousand Friends communication, and in reverent regard to Tom McCall, landowners and preservationists were ASSURED, PROMISED protection by the invention and installation of Urban Growth Boundaries. It's been such disaccretion and deceit to watch eager (is the motive money????) local governmental agencies blithely limit the Boundaries! Apparently, now the governor wants to forget their existence--the reasons for their existence entirely--and simply use Executive Orders to destroy so so much!

For chips makers, low paying jobs, being bit players in the battery, etc. world? Is such "growth" worth the pain and destruction? Please, PLEASE remember all the people desired to be brought into Oregon, all their houses, schools, oh and roads, roads, roads will take up Oregon's ability to produce much of finest farm and orchard produce. Perhaps those thousands of people want to eat...and what if she people want to eat fresh wholesome foods, pick it themselves?

Apart from that destruction, I'm sure Gov, Kate, etc. are aware of the huge sums the tourists industry brings into the state (we all know the Pandemic has slowed everything) not once but over and over! The wine industry itself has brought along with tourists, fame and income (Oregon wines sell through the US and abroad)...apples, cherries, fisheries, wheat, etc etc. To be replaced by chip makers?

In today's 2/3 discussion OPB, Gov. Kotek and Dave Miller, she seems to mention a law, executive order?, that all the new housing she's calling for be Low Income. Yet in our neighborhood, sough of Beaverton, Scholls Ferry Roads, hundreds of three story apartments have been already built: price tag \$300, 000 plus! Is this how the future goes!!!

Please please defeat this perplexing proposed legislation,

Very Sincerely (and I do know how to write a proper letter but this is a passionate one!),

Nancy Ponzi...on behalf of all the Ponzi family