

Dear Board of Forestry,

I live in the heart of the northern Oregon forests and on a daily basis I see massive destruction by the continual clear-cutting which is decimating the forests of Clatsop and Tillamook Counties. This out-of-control rampage of our forests needs to be controlled by the Board of Forestry, because the power that the large logging companies now have is rampant and is harming our forests, quality of water, wildlife, streams and surrounding communities for generations.

This letter is intended as public testimony for item 4 concerning Forest Trust Lands Advisory Committee Testimony, for which I cannot be physically present.

Tim Josi's proposal on behalf of the FTLAC (Forest Trust Land Advisory Committee) does **NOT** reflect the "economic, social, and environmental values" that I and a multitude of other citizens hold for the Oregon Trust Lands. The actions that he is proposing are harmful to me, the environment, and the future of our forests. His proposals place the interests of the logging companies above all and the profit motive is what drives this whole proposal. I am joined by a multitude of other citizens in Northwestern Oregon who are strongly opposed to Josi's proposal.

Please listen to me and other concerned citizens. This Josi proposal must not go through. The huge logging companies are interested in controlling and decimating our forests for one reason: money.

Thank you,
Betsy McMahon