

I am a yes vote on HB 1151.

I believe baiting is a good a good thing for the wildlife and I feel it gets more people involved in hunting especially our youth and female hunters. I also think baiting is beneficial to the wildlife as it gives them some extra feed sources.

I live on a ranch and therefore we keep adequate feed sources on hand for our livestock such as alfalfa hay, corn silage, different types of processed grains, and also various types of grass/forage hay. When fall/winter comes we always see lots of deer coming to our ranch and finding these feed sources in large numbers. That being said I believe if we are allowing baiting it will help keep these deer more spread out in smaller groups instead of all gathering in one area in a large group. So from what I'm seeing if

baiting is banned these deer will be in larger groups where ever they can find these feed sources which I feel is worse than keeping them spread out.

Please vote yes on HB 1151. Thank you

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