

I am in strong opposition of HB 1236 and encourage a Nay vote on this bill. As legislature representatives, this bill brings no value to the North Dakota Department of Game and Fish (NDGF).

Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) oversight, management and mitigation are critical for healthy ecosystems and wildlife in North Dakota. HB 1236 would essentially remove important funding from NDGF for mitigation efforts of CWD.

As an avid hunter and outdoorsman, CWD mitigation is very important to me, helping to ensure healthy wildlife herds for future generations.

I encourage you to reject HB 1236 for further consideration.

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