To: ND 69<sup>th</sup> Legislative Assembly of North Dakota – regarding Senate Bill 2308

We, the undersigned, which constitute a portion of the licensed water well Driller's and licensed pump installers of North Dakota, do hereby object to abolishing the ND Board of Water Well Contractors.

We need a voice of representation in the state government to whom we can voice our concerns or suggest common sense rules to govern the water well industry and the Board of Water Well Contractors is presently that voice.

If the object of this bill is to cut waste out of government, and we believe that is the goal, we completely agree with that goal. Our board, however, which is self-funded, is not wasteful and should not be cut. Representing from No Kota Well Drillers Association Signed, James Nous -10340 HWY 10,610 d Store, ND 58630

Jew Angel, Assent and Store of Dickinson No.