



NORTH DAKOTA WILDLIFE FEDERATION

Testimony of John Bradley
North Dakota Wildlife Federation
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House Energy & Natural Resources Committee
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Chairman Porter, members of the House Energy and Natural Resources Committee,

For the record, I am John Bradley, Executive Director of the North Dakota Wildlife Federation (NDWF). I am here today representing our 1,500 members and 15 affiliated wildlife and sportsmen's club across North Dakota. NDWF supports HB 1218. We believe that this bill will encourage more non-resident landowners to enroll their acres in PLOTS. Knowing that they can come back and hunt during the first week of pheasant season, removes one more barrier for a non-resident to enroll in the program.

We understand that Game & Fish has some friendly amendments to the bill. NDWF supports those changes.

Thank you for the opportunity to testify. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions that the committee might have.