

SUPPORT OF SB 2212

Chairman Patten and the Members of the Committee

My Name is Lon Klusmann, I represent the 29 members of our family that are directly impacted by this ill-conceived CO2 pipeline route.

We will never agree to this pipeline crossing by over one mile of our beloved family heritage and future.

Summit Carbon Solutions is of the mind that all private property owners along its proposed route should just cave in and give Summit their land, what arrogance...

**SB BILL 2212 I DOES NOT STOP CO2 pipelines, it just does what North Dakota should already be doing, and that is allow private property owners the right to decide what is BEST for their own property.**

**Even Senator John Hoeven stated on July 26, 2022 “ Private property rights must be respected and participation in the Summit Carbon Solutions project should be voluntary, and (I am) concerned about the use of litigation to compel access to private property”**

**Summit Carbon Solutions just needs to thoughtfully find a route that DOES NOT REQUIRE the USE of FORCE by eminent domain .. and does not threaten the populated areas of Burleigh County!**

**VERY POOR PLANNING ON SUMMITS PART , as they have been getting serious OPPOSITION IN EVERY STATE ALONG ITS 2200 mile planned route.**

**Thank you for a DO PASS recommendation the the full Senate.**

**Lon Klusmann.**