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To: Mayor and Council

Subject: urban growth boundary

Hi Councilors. I know you have a difficult job. I have been observing the process you are in and I must say that I find it offensive that Hillcrest Orchard is seeking to come in now. Who are they trying to fool? You, that's who. I hope they don't. They are currently expanding their agricultural operations. If they come in it is at the expense of ready to develop land that would hurt us economically because that land is locked away. This is pure gluttony and I hope that is not rewarded. Surrounded by city or not, they want to have their cake and eat it too. Are they really going to tear out the grapes they just put in? No. This is their safety net.

Sincerely, Alain Schroeder Medford