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Hello,

I am the Director of a non-profit spay/neuter clinic for cats and dogs in Bend. Our organization works closely with our local shelters, rescues and pet stores alike to promote adoption of pets in need of homes in our area. We see first hand how many cats and dogs there are without a loving home. By preventing the sale of dogs and cats who are not from rescues or shelters, you will help to ensure that we are not bringing more pets into an area that already has many pets looking for homes. Most cats and dogs acquired by pet stores for resale come from hoarding situations or puppy mills unfortunately! By requiring that these animals come from shelters and rescues, you will be helping to end those cruel practices as well. Please vote YES on HB 4045! Thank you!

Thank you,

Megan Gram
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