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To Whom It May Concern:

I have had two years' experience removing and properly disposing of invasive bamboo, and have found that not having a 40 foot set-back (because of the rapid growth, spreading, and invasiveness of this bamboo) is extremely detrimental to a person's property. It is necessary to be able to do containment on property because - quite frankly - this invasive bamboo takes off like crazy!

As I applaud the intent of SB 72, I would like to see the following included in the Bill: "Declare running bamboo a nuisance with a 40 foot setback on existing bamboo."

Sincerely, Dennis Rogan