

Testimony regarding SB0452

Monday, March 25, 2024

I am strongly opposed to this bill.

The implications of this legislation are alarming as it could make horse ownership and boarding financially unviable for many individuals. Most boarding facilities barely break even. So many would simply be forced to shut down causing a catastrophic cascading effect for horse owners who literally may be forced to choose between financial ruin and humanely euthanizing their horses. It's not like we can keep them on the balcony if our boarding facilities are shut down or our costs of horse ownership skyrocket.

It is absolutely unconscionable to put the equine community in such a position. This bill should not pass.

Sincerely,

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