# Natural & Working Lands Stakeholder Advisory Committee Meetings

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## Chat

**Katie Voelke (She/Her) NCLC**sent a chat · 1:23 PM
I second that. In my neck of the woods, ag lands becoming conservation land is important to both the community, the infrastructure, and the carbon drawdown.

**Greg Holmes**sent a chat · 1:23 PM
"No Net Loss"

**Jocelyn Bridson**sent a chat · 1:24 PM
"no net loss" to development is the ambition, however I think the metrics would be:
- acres of farmland converted to development
- acres of farmland set aside in permanent easements

**Greg Holmes**sent a chat · 1:26 PM
"no net loss" of natural and working lands should make it possible to shift between those categories, just so long as we are not losing productive land.

**Greg Holmes**sent a chat · 1:26 PM
The original wording was "no unnecessary conversion" That sounds squishy, but allows the land to be urbanized if that is deemed necessary.

**Jocelyn Bridson**sent a chat · 1:30 PM
Protect agricultural lands from development where appropriate

**Katie Voelke (She/Her) NCLC**sent a chat · 1:32 PM
 be positively oriented and say "prioritize protection of prime ag lands"

**Catherine Macdonald**sent a chat · 1:34 PM
Greg happy to help

**Greg Holmes**sent a chat · 1:35 PM
Protect land from unnecessary conversion....

**Greg Holmes**sent a chat · 1:35 PM
instead of prevent conversion

**Mimi Casteel**sent a chat · 1:53 PM
We discussed longer perennial rotations and also the use of new cultivars of (for example) small grains that have been perennialized

**Karen Lewotsky (she, her) | Oregon Environmental Council**sent a chat · 2:01 PM
not challenging the concept, just saying there are folks who might

**Lisa Gaines**sent a chat · 2:10 PM
Karen, the meeting ends at 2:30pm. Feel free to do whatever is easiest for you logging out or not.

**Jocelyn Bridson**sent a chat · 2:10 PM
First sentence - should we use Afforestation or Reforestation (vs Forestation)

**Nicole Maness (she/her) Willamette Partnership**sent a chat · 2:32 PM
Thank you Lisa

**Mimi Casteel**sent a chat · 2:32 PM
Thanks!