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Dear Butte County Board of Supervisors and Planning Commission,

As director of a local **bicycle touring company**, I empathetically support your decision to zone Chaffin Family Farms for agritourism.

Regional agritourism options are essential to the success of Wheeled Migration. Our tours are designed to feature small farms and vibrant community projects, thereby enriching our guests sense of place.

My company depends on organic farms to host events, potlucks, educational tours, and overnight stays for our cyclists and special guests. I believe this form of regional tourism not only supports local economies but a local culture of sustainability as well.

Given the nature of bicycle touring we visit many communities. Each towns advancement toward sustainability is clear to our clients. I am proud Wheeled Migration is based in Chico and support your decision to honor our farmers by allowing them to showcase their skill and hard work.

Thank you for your efforts in making Chico a better place to live.

Sincerely,

Ryan Laine