

Dear The Colorado State House, The Colorado State Senate, and Governor John Hickenlooper,

We are pleased to present you with this petition affirming one simple statement:

"I urge you to support HB 1192 and other measures to label genetically engineered foods in Colorado.

Genetically engineered food is unlabeled, untested, and virtually everywhere. This means that consumers have no idea whether or not the food they are buying is genetically engineered. Furthermore, there have been no long-term studies done to test for potentially harmful effects on humans. Consumers have a right to know if the food they are consuming is genetically engineered and safe.

Mandatory labeling of genetically engineered food allows people to make informed choices about what they purchase. With labeling of genetically engineered foods, consumers can ensure the nutritional health, quality and methods of production are aligned with their principles and standards. We all deserve to have that knowledge when we decide what to eat.

The GMO industry would have you believe that requiring labeling of genetically engineered foods places an undue financial burden on them. This argument is factually untrue. Studies have shown that the increase in cost to the consumer is negligible.

As representatives of the people of Colorado, I urge you to sponsor, support and pass HB 1192."

Attached is a list of individuals who have added their names to this petition, as well as additional comments written by the petition signers themselves.

Sincerely,
MoveOn Denver Metro Council

Due to the amount of individuals who submitted a signature not all were scanned into this document. To see the original attachment, please visit the State Archives office, located at 1313 Sherman Street.