

**TESTIMONY OF DANIEL MEEK ON HB 3382:  
MAKERS OF IN-KIND CONTRIBUTIONS  
MUST NOTIFY BENEFICIARY CANDIDATE OR COMMITTEE**

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On behalf of the Oregon Progressive Party, this testimony supports HB 3382.

Accurate reporting of in-kind contributions by any candidate or committee requires that the candidate or committee have knowledge of the in-kind contribution. This bill would require the maker of in-kind contribution to notify the beneficiary candidate or committee within 48 hours of having reported the in-kind contribution on ORESTAR.

This bill does not appear absolutely necessary, however. ORESTAR could automatically provide such notice by sending email to the treasurer or agent of the beneficiary, whenever an in-kind contribution is reported on ORESTAR. With such automation, separate notice from the maker of the in-kind contribution would not be necessary.