

Committee Administrator Pat Brennan,

In regards to Senate Bill 1559 I understand that there are now four amendments to the Bill, including #4 which basically throws out the whole idea and forms a new group of people to try to figure out what to do. I believe that the OLCC has done great things for many years and deserves the opportunity to create a committee to determine what is best for the State of Oregon.

Making too many changes too fast will impact all liquor agents. We should not succumb to the pressure of the grocery industry but rather pull together and determine what will work best for our state. We need to keep the money in Oregon. We need to continue to support our small businesses throughout the state.

I believe a committee would be able to propose better solutions to provide better service to our customers. We need real solutions to the modernization problem and we need to present alternatives that provide incentives rather than rules.

Thanks,
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