

Dear members of the House Business and Labor Committee,

I run a 5 unit Adult Foster Care Home and provide excellent care for our elderly population. I am currently paying employees above minimum wage, but this will be a deal breaker for me and homes like mine. Are legislators planning to raise Medicaid payments to help me pay for this? I ask you, actually, I beg you to not give in to this pressure. I ask that you please do not support any legislation that will raise the Oregon Minimum wage.

Sincerely,

Larry Etzel
Marcey's Place Adult Foster Care Home