

Dear legislators,

Oregon excels and leads in so many ways - please vote that the state dog be a rescue dog! Please vote YES

- H.C.R. 16 will promote the adoption of dogs from rescues and shelters, resulting in saved lives and less cost in caring for dogs in shelters;
- H.C.R. 16 acknowledges the work of Oregon's amazing animal sheltering professionals who work every day to care for dogs in shelters and find them permanent, loving homes;
- H.C.R. 16 recognizes that all kinds and types of dogs are represented in Oregon's shelters, including purebred and mixed breed dogs, all of whom have the potential to be a loving companion for the right person.

Sincerely,
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