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**Sent:** Friday, May 05, 2017 3:05 PM  
**To:** SHS Exhibits; Sen Courtney  
**Subject:** Send a message now!

Dear Chair Gelser, Vice Chair Olsen, and Members of the Committee,

I am a tenant. I belong in Oregon. I am a part of your community and my housing is not an option. We need to lift the ban on state-wide rent control. You must be accountable to your constituents.

Rent control has long been a small way poor people have been able to stay in cities that become too expensive for them to otherwise continue to inhabit. Poor people who do the service industry jobs wealthier people want and need nearby them.

This isn't just enough benefit to poor people, it's a way that cities can remain attractive and liveable for all people.

Please pass this bill into law.  
Karah