

SUPPORT SB 5505

AOC supports the Judicial Department's (OJD) requests (through HB 5013) for Article ZI-Q bonds in the Chief Justice Recommended Budget for the following projects:

- \$101.5 million to complete construction and construction-related technology and equipment for the Multnomah County Courthouse
- \$5 million to support replacement of the Lane County Courthouse
- \$4.4 million to replace the Hood River County Courthouse
- \$1.25 million for planning to replace the Clackamas County Courthouse

AOC and OJD along with stakeholders from counties worked through a collaborative process through the last three legislative sessions to prioritize funding requests from counties for both courthouse replacement and courthouse improvement funding.

We appreciate the continued investments from the state as courthouse projects are funded.

Courthouses are the central location in many counties where both state and county business is conducted. County offices, courts, and many county and state agencies are housed in the courthouses. The continued partnership between counties and the state is important to provide quality service to our constituents.

Thank you for your support of SB 5505.

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