

A voice for victims killed by illegal aliens

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The Honorable Jennifer Williamson, Chair, and Members of the House Committee on Rules

Re: HB 3464

Dear Chair Williamson & Committee Members:

Our chapter leader in Oregon has brought to our attention that another "11TH hour" move to assist and support illegal aliens is being considered. We are terribly disappointed that this surreptitious maneuver is underway in total disrupt to Oregonians.

The voters of Oregon made very clear with Measure 88 in 2014 that they strongly disagree to give illegal aliens government benefits. The sponsors of HB3464 know this, which is clearly why the emergency clause was added. We can assure you that usurping the clear wishes of the citizens of Oregon with a 'frivolous" emergency clause and giving non-citizens benefits is not what Oregonians want. Please know that HB 3464 will encourage more blatant illegal behavior, encourage more illegal aliens to flock to Oregon, and it sends a message to non-citizens that they are "untouchable" and above our laws.

I caution you to reconsider your actions in this dangerous move to invite criminal and illegal activity to your communities. Lastly, we will keep a close watch on Oregon and remind you that innocent Oregonians have been killed by those who should not have been in our country in the first place. Why invite more crime? Young **Parker Moore**, a college student and football player, was stabbed to death as he shopped in a convenience store. The killer was an illegal alien. Witnesses state that the attacked was unprovoked. How will you explain to the families of **Parker Moore**, **Dani Countryman** and others, that you had a part in making our communities dangerous for our children?

Each of you recall SB 833 and the reaction in the state. To move forward would be an outrage. HB 3464 is irresponsible and dangerous. The citizens, those whom you serve, have spoken. We ask that you respect the legal citizens of Oregon, enforce current laws and halt HB3464.

Sincerely,

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