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Subject: SB 927 and 929 In Support of both bills

Dear Senator Dembrow and other members of the Committee

I am a resident of the Irvington Historic District and chair of the Irvington land use committee. I support each of these bills, and amendment -3. I do not support amendment -2, which would delete the language for repeal of the current owner consent statutory language.

SB 927 will bring state law in line with recent changes in Goal 5, and provide pathways for demolition protection to significant resources, and additional design protection if certain additional steps are taken by the local jurisdiction.

SB 929 will allow for tax credits for contributions to improve existing significant historic resources. This program has been used successfully in the Irvington HD, and should be continued.

Both bills will encourage historic preservation

As you know, Oregon is the only state with an owner consent requirement, which should be eliminated.

Please move both bills forward with amendment -3 only and with a do pass recommendation. Thank you for your consideration.

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