



House Committee on Revenue

Salem, OR 97301

March 22, 2021

Dear Senate Finance and Revenue Committee,

I'm writing to urge you to **vote YES on HB3244** pertaining to increasing the tax credits available for film in Oregon.

I've been a Casting Director here in Portland for over 15 years. I've worked on countless commercials, television and film projects. A few of my favorites have been Trinkets, Timmy Failure, Grimm, The Librarians, American Vandal, Wild, Twilight - I could go on. I've had the unique experience of not only benefitting personally from these projects funded by the incentive, I've been a part of booking hundreds of actors in these well paying union jobs.

Without our incentive, I believe it would be impossible for me to work in Oregon in my chosen field. With these projects and the support of the incentive, I'm currently here in Milwaukie, raising my two second generation Oregonian daughters, while also making a living in my dream career. Expanding the incentives to invite more long term series to shoot here would only add to our security and ability to rest easy.

I'm proud to be a part of this community. We bring amazing projects to life. We contribute to the economy and are a vital part of what keeps Oregon so vibrant. We need your help to keep growing.

Please **vote YES on HB3244** to extend these critical programs for our local production industry. It supports my livelihood.

Regards,

Eryn Goodman, CSA

Casting Director

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