Dear Chair Bynum and members of the committee,

I write to you today to urge you to pass HB 3265, The Sanctuary Promise Act. This piece of legislation will get us closer to a horizon in which all Oregonians feel their families are safe, secure and protected.

I care about this bill because I care about all people and, but the for the grace of God, it is you or I who could be in the position of a migrating human being, a stranger in a strange land struggling to find food, water, shelter.

This law is really about people and communities together ensuring that all Oregonians feel safer. I urge you to pass HB 3265.

Thank you for your work and attention,

Jim Yarbrough