

We have seen the admirable dedication of farm laborers through thick and thin. The past year has seen respiratory pandemic, catastrophic fires, and hazardous air quality levels; and farmworkers have continued to show up to work and to ensure that we have safe and nutritious food! We know that the exclusion of farm labor from overtime and other basic protections was originally based on racism in the United States. This is an excellent time for Oregon to AGAIN lead the way--to demonstrate our commitment to providing economic security for ALL of our workers by extending overtime pay to farmworkers through HB 2358. Please join Farm Worker Ministry-NorthWest in supporting this important legislation!