

Dear Chair Holvey and Members of the Committee,

I, Nicole am pleased to offer my support for HB 2574. This legislation would allow a natural disposition of remains by natural organic reduction (NOR), gently converting human remains into soil in an accelerated process.

This would give any Oregonians an option that stands with their beliefs. Living in Oregon nature and earth is a vital thing of who we are, we hike, garden, ski and forge. I can't think of a better way to thank Oregon when I pass than giving my body to the land.

Oregonians are looking for more sustainable death care options. HB 2574 would create an additional option for death care practice that is more environmentally-friendly and sustainable. For the above reasons, I ask for your support of this important legislation.

Sincerely,

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