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Supporting SB 1527 -2

Dear Chair Wagner, Vice-Chair Knopp, and Senators Girod, Manning, and Taylor,

Thank you for the opportunity to provide some very brief comments in support of Senate Bill 1527 and the Dash-2 amendments. The Oregon Association of County Clerks (OACC) has worked closely with the Secretary of State's office to craft language that would accomplish the goals of the legislation and accurately capture the responsibilities of the Secretary of State and the County Clerks with respect to recounts. We believe that the base bill and the Dash-2 amendments clearly add these responsibilities to statute without adding additional burden on the County Clerks or the Secretary of State. Thank you for the opportunity to support this bill.

Sincerely,

OACC