



February 9, 2022

Dear Members of the Joint Committee on Transportation:

The Oregon Airport Management Association (OAMA) is writing you in support of House Bill 4154. The bill will appropriate moneys from the General Fund to the Department of Administrative Services to distribute to La Grande/Union County Airport to expand capacity of the airport's fuel farm.

By way of passing this bill, the airport can satisfactorily address the needs of the community and emergency responders alike. It will also provide the community with redundant fuel capacity in the event of an emergency or other catastrophic event. As you know, air support will be key to any successful recovery.

OAMA urges the Committee Members to vote 'Yes' and keep Oregon's aviation system sustainable.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jerry Brienza". The signature is stylized and written over the word "Sincerely,".

Jerry Brienza, President
Oregon Airport Management Association (OAMA)