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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon Opposes HB 4039

Committee: House Committee On Health Care

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I OPPOSE [HB 4039]

Taken from the Text of [HB 4039], "...(C) Expend [a portion of the annual net income or reserves of the coordinated care organization that exceed the financial requirements specified in this paragraph] no more than three percent of the coordinated care organization's administrative budget on services prescribed by the authority by rule under section 2 of this 2022 Act that are designed to address health disparities and the social determinants of health consistent with the coordinated care organization's community health improvement plan and transformation plan and the terms and conditions of the Medicaid demonstration project under section 1115 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1315). This subparagraph does not prohibit a coordinated care organization from choosing to spend more than three percent of the coordinated care organization's administrative budget on such services..."

[HB 4039] is objectionable because it is vague and ambiguous as to cost.

[HB 4039] gives unlimited authority to raise the costs of the 'administrative budget' for 'coordinated care organizations'.

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Mr. Oregon Concurs-Coordinated Care Organizations are definitely 'No' friend of the taxpayers.