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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon Opposes SB 1539

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure: SB1539

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I OPPOSE [SB 1539] as written.

The concept of [SB 1539] is overdue but, the construct of [SB 1539] is shamefully inadequate to meet the needs of Homeless school children.

[SB 1539] does not address the needs of Homeless school children to have; plenty of food, clean clothes, a place to shower and a warm dry bed every night.

[SB 1539] does create the skeletal structure for 'Non-profit and Public Benefit Corporations' to chew-up allocated revenues to support the programs listed in [SB 1539].

The scope of funding was not discussed in terms a lay-person (tax-payer) could understand and [SB 1539] appears to be an 'open-ended bottomless pit'.

[SB 1539] has 'racial' and 'equity language' which will be divisive and opens the door to 'unequal treatment' under the law.

[SB 1539] 'Opens the door' to require the State of Oregon to educate the world's Homeless school children.

In short, [SB 1539] as written, is more government over-reach, poorly constructed and steeped in crap.

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Mr. Oregon Concurs.