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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon Opposes HB 2055

Committee: House Committee On Business and Labor

Measure: HB2055

I OPPOSE [HB 2055] DUE TO THE FOLLOWING LANGUAGE:

"(A) Must award a public contract or public improvement contract to the lowest responsible bidder or, for competitive bids, to the lowest and best bidder or to the proposer that submits the proposal that is most advantageous, based on evaluation factors set forth in the request for proposals;..."

"The "Lowest bidder" does not always produce quality work-products and or services.

Contract awards should have a reasonable degree of "flexible discretionary guidelines" to ensure the highest quality of "work-products and or services" so as to avoid the pitfalls and headaches from accepting a manipulated "Lowest Bid" mindset.

Re-write and re-submit [HB 2055].

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