Submitter: Carol Mollett

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Early Childhood and Human Services

Measure: HB2728

Chair Reynolds and Members of the Committee,

My name is Carol Mollet. I am a farmer in Portland. I am writing to request your support for HB 2728.

HB 2728 supports the expansion of Double Up Food Bucks Oregon, a SNAP matching program with a proven record of success. For every dollar spent on SNAP-eligible foods at participating farmers markets, farm stands, CSA programs, and grocery stores across the state, shoppers will receive an additional dollar to spend on Oregon-grown fruits and vegetables.

This program is important to me because I just started to offer SNAP matching program for my CSA farm shares. I am now able to offer healthy vegetables to an important part of my community. In previous years I was financially unable to work with folks using SNAP benefits. DUFB will help as a small business owner by increasing my sales potential.

Thank you for the consideration and for your service.

Carol Mollet, Portland Or Sweet Annie's Farm