

Canby Area Chamber of Commerce 191 SE 2nd Avenue Canby, OR 97013

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TO: Chair Nathanson and Committee Members

RE: HB 2433 - Support Small Businesses; Raise the CAT exemption threshold

The Canby Area Chamber of Commerce stands with Oregon's small businesses in asking you to support HB 2433, which would provide much needed tax relief to thousands of small businesses across Oregon.

The CAT tax has been a devastating blow to small businesses around our state. It has become a tax on Main Street businesses and the fact that it is a tax on gross receipts has affected not only the individual businesses, but has increased supply chain costs.

Now is the time to correct this legislation and allow our businesses to reinvest in their businesses and positively contribute to all of our local economies. **Please support HB 2433.**

Sincerely,

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