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I am sending this testimony to express my unqualified support for Senate Bill 776. I believe this process of discussion and development of the means of providing reparations to the families of BIPOC Oregonians is overdue, but acknowledging harm, publicly making amends and planning a restitution process will be essential to transform Oregon. It is never too late for this process to start, and I am grateful to the legislators who are taking on this work.