

Submitter: Abigail Oberg

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment

Measure: HB2990

Date: March 16, 2023 To: House Committee on Climate, Energy and Environment

Re: Support for HB 2990 Community Resilience Hubs Dear Chair Marsh, Co-Chairs,

and Members of the House Committee on Climate, Energy, and Environment, My

name is Abigail Oberg, and I live in Coos Bay, Oregon and I am writing to you

because we need community resilience hubs. I support HB 2990 to create a grant

program through the Office of Resilience and Emergency Management that will go

directly to communities that are most impacted by the climate crisis to build and

implement Community Resilience Hubs and networks. I support Community

Resilience Hubs because we are stronger together. When our communities are

threatened by wildfires, extreme heat, and other climate disasters, we look out for our

neighbors. By creating places to gather and care for each other in good times and

bad, we strengthen our bonds and foster close-knit, resilient communities. I urge you

to vote Yes on HB 2990 to invest in building stronger communities, and create the

resources and connections to make it easier for Oregonians the next time disaster

strikes. Stronger communities can make the difference between surviving and

thriving. Sincerely, Abigail Oberg Coos Bay, Oregon