Submitter: Rhae Olson

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Housing and Development

Measure: SB611

To Whom it May Concern,

I am a homeowner in Springfield, and am employed in Eugene. I am also a millennial, which makes me one of the only homeowners in my friend group. Nearly all of my peers rent - a rent hike of ANY amount would be devastating to our community that is already unable to support our existing unhoused population. Landlords contribute to the economic crisis we are currently experiencing, through predatory practices and rent hikes.

Housing is a human right! Oregon needs to stand behind that and protect and provide housing for the entire community, not just folks who can buy a house.

Thank you for reading my statement.

Rhae Olson, Springfield, Oregon