Submitter: Susan Cobb

On Behalf

Of:

Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and

Water

Measure: HB3440

Dear House Representative,

I respectfully ask the Oregon House of Representatives to pass HB 3440.

I reside in Sisters, Oregon. Our small city of Sisters would be indirectly and positively affected if HB 3440 is passed. As you are acutely away, the national housing crisis has not missed our Tri-Cities in Central Oregon; Bend, Redmond and Sisters.

If HB 3440 is passed, Bend would be able to have reserve funds to plan for and implement creative solutions to resolve the increasing housing deficit, lack of affordable housing and unhoused within their city boarders. Bend's actions through time will help reduce some of the housing strains on her nearby cities.

Every person who is enabled to have a roof over their head, matters. Please, help alleviate some of the hurdles to actions on the housing crises by passing this HB 3440. Thank you.