Ways and Means Road Show Testimony 2023 Re: HB 2957, Immigration Legal Services

Good evening Co-Chairs, Co-Vice Chairs and members of the Ways and Means Committee,

My name is Lucy O and I live in Washington County in Oregon. I am here to testify in support of HB 2957, funding for immigration legal services.

I am a US Citizen and I know how important it is to have a fund that will allow grants for individual have access to a legal immigration consultation and services needed to file their case with immigration.

This will facilitate and expedite the process because people will be able to file sooner. It is important to have a legal immigration consultation because that way people get correct information as to their possibilities of obtaining a permanent immigration status and avoids possible fraud.

Please vote in support of HB 2957.

Thank you,

Lucy