

LETTER of SUPPORT

**TO: Joint Committee on Ways & Means Education Subcommittee
Senator Lew Frederick, Co-Chair
Representative Susan McLain, Co-Chair**

FR: Tim Koch – CTO Crown Electrokinetics

Date: April 25, 2023

**RE: HB 5025, Higher Education Coordinating Commission Budget – State Programs – Signature
Research**

Co-Chairs Frederick and McLain and members of the Committee,

I would like to extend my letter of support for HB 5025. The program supports an environment (ATAMI building) that enables our start-up company to complete research and development required for moving to production capability. All of which creates new high-tech jobs for the state of Oregon.

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