Attn: Oregon Subcommittee on Transportation and Economic Development,

I'm writing to document the long-standing valuable relationship Buoy Beer and Business Oregon has had. I've been working with business Oregon since 2015 and in that time Business Oregon has played an instrumental roll in helping us get established and grow. From providing grant money for rural job creation, to finding funding to upgrade basic City of Astoria infrastructure when the city lacked the ability to make their own upgrades. And most recently Business Oregon helped with water treatment upgrades and managing the local enterprise zone to abate taxes due significant investments into manufacturing in our community.

Business Oregon has a very positive impact on business development through our great state and I urge your committee to pas SB5524.

Thank you for time,

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