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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Addiction and Community Safety Response

Measure: HB4002

Dear committee, while I support the formation of a committee to study drug addiction, I believe that the drug crisis needs to be addressed today and as a physician of 30 years in Central Oregon, I would encourage you to repeal, not modify, measure 110. I believe that criminal referral and drug courts.s have proven much more successful than any other means. I am in favor of measure 4002 with the caveat that you have experts, including doctors, who have dealt with addiction and patience. Their experience is invaluable in the real world. Good luck!