



February 8, 2024

Chair Kropf and Members of the Committee:

I am writing on behalf of Oregon Recovers in support of HB 4097.

Oregon Recovers is an inclusive statewide coalition of people in recovery—and their friends and family. We are united to transform Oregon healthcare to ensure world-class prevention, treatment, and recovery support services for Oregonians suffering from the disease of addiction.

HB 4097 provides a clear path to expungement, which will help Oregonians in their recovery. We believe that removing barriers to expungement will help the recovery community and all Oregonians in various ways. HB 4097 will remove barriers to housing and employment that can lead to recidivism and lock those in recovery into a cycle of poverty.

We encourage you to support HB 4097.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jesse Cornett".

Jesse Cornett
Policy and Advocacy Director