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On Behalf Of:
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Committee Members - You should be **STRONGLY** opposed to this bad bill that is veiled as "non-discrimination" but is clearly an attempt to force the most fringe liberal agenda onto Oregon's children. Shame on you if you believe that forcing books of a sexual nature touting non-traditional (and very low %) far-left LGBTQ ideas into childrens' heads. This is your way of working around local School Boards and parents. Anyone voting in favor of this "force it into the schools" approach should be ashamed. Most parents don't want this in our schools and we'd rather not have to know what your sexual preferences are. Our children are there to **LEARN** about reading, writing, and math. Sexualizing our children's school curriculum is a clear agenda that **MUST** be stopped.

Here's a thought.... How about getting back to teaching our children critical thinking skills, preparing a budget and other life skills instead, ways to become a solid citizen able to read, write, and make their own decisions when they become an adult. That's a better long-term approach than forcing **YOUR** sexual ideas into their heads.

VOTE NO on this terrible bill.