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I support this bill to prevent discrimination when selecting textbooks, instructional materials, program materials or library books that are used in our public schools in Oregon. All children should have equal opportunity to exposure to a variety of perspectives, without fear of the personal bias of school board members who may make decisions based on THEIR religious beliefs or THEIR personal Biases against protected classes will limit students access. This gives all students within the state an equal opportunity to view our world and our history based on facts and not the narrow perspective of a few pushing THEIR personal agenda