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Hello my name Martin Kimita and I am a Provider for adult foster home in Milwaukie Clackamas County it's level 3 home. I have been into business for 2 years and I love taking care of the folks who have become part of my family. I support the bill for I would want to assist the huge number of people who are looking for placement but because of limited number of beds most have been turned back despite their qualifications and health special needs. 1 or 2 people off the streets or hospital bed might sound a small number but it means a world to someone in need. I know the state might be concerned by residents safety but we're will to comply with the measures that state will put in place for residents safety as those measures will not only protect the struggling to spread the cost as we're barely surviving duresidents but also our families. If the bill passes it will help us the small business owners in the AFH community, especially the minority business operators who are rely e to sky rocketing cost of living.