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On Behalf
Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Veterans, Emergency Management, Federal
and World Affairs

Measure: SB1548

I ask that you not pass this bill. This bill should not be a substitute for the Daylight Savings Time legislation that was passed in 2019. Oregon has two different time zones and this bill does not take that into consideration. It also creates a greater time difference between the east coast and the west coast of 4 hours rather than 3 hours. This means that work hours would shift anyway if a company relies on doing business with an east coast company. The bill eliminates the long summer evenings that all Oregonians appreciate and enjoy. Congress has not granted Washington, Oregon, and California to remain on Daylight Savings Time but that does not mean that the public wants to remain on standard time. Oregon should continue to spring ahead and fall back.