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On Behalf Of: Mr Oregon SUPPORTS HB 2151
Committee: House Committee On Emergency Management, General
Government, and Veterans
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2151

I SUPPORT [HB 2151].

From the TEXT of [HB 2151], "... (4) Moneys in the Seismic Risk Mitigation Fund, other than moneys described in subsection (3) of this section, are continuously appropriated to the department for the purposes of supporting activities carried out by state and local government agencies, businesses or individuals to plan and prepare for the consequences of an earthquake, which may include but need not be limited to:

- (a) Providing grants or other financial assistance for planning and preparedness efforts related to fires that could be caused by oil or liquid fuels spilled as the result of an earthquake;
- (b) Providing grants or other financial assistance to support earthquake emergency response and evacuation route planning; and
- (c) Transfer to the Oregon Department of Emergency Management to support earthquake early detection and alert activities.."

***[HB 2151] is an example of good-long term planning to mitigate the suffering disasters cause.

Good Job!

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