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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Housing and Homelessness

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2138

Dear Chair Marsh and Members of the House Committee on Housing and Homelessness,

I support HB 2138, especially Section 22 (1), to remove "demolition review" from houses in National Register historic districts. We have a housing affordability and homelessness crisis here in Oregon, and we need to act now to making housing attainable for everyone. While I appreciate the value of historic designations, we have other, better mechanisms for preserving our historic buildings.

Sincerely,

Claire Vlach