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Greetings.

I submit this testimony on HB 4096 (2026) as a private citizen who is interested in good governance and precision in the legislative process.

I support the bill for essentially the same reasons that are expressed in the testimony submitted by the Oregon State Sheriffs' Association and the Oregon Association of Chiefs of Police.

I have one very minor drafting comment. I believe that the word "who" at the end of line 11 in the Introduced bill is extraneous and should be deleted.

Respectfully,

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