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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Judiciary

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1583

Dear Chair and Members of the Committee,

I am writing in opposition to SB 1583. This bill would destabilize the systems of care built under Measure 110 by shifting oversight and funding in ways that disrupt treatment, recovery, harm reduction, and deflection services.

Providers and communities have spent years building capacity and trust. Maintaining stability is vital to ensure ongoing care and prevent leaving people without the services they need.

Oregon should focus on strengthening existing programs and improving data systems, recognizing the hard work already invested, rather than creating instability through major governance shifts. I urge you to oppose SB 1583.

Thank you for considering my testimony.