

Submitter:

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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

House Committee On Health Care

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

HB4075

"To: Oregon Leaders,

I am urging you to vote YES on the legislative package to assist the Bay Area Hospital, including House Bill 4075. The Bay Area Hospital still needs some assistance, but the disciplined recovery plan of the last few months has shown its potential for lasting financial independence.

If the State is unwilling to assist the Bay Area Hospital, it will likely downgrade to a ""type B"" hospital. This comes with a number of costs to wellness and the local economy, including an estimated 2,089 more patient transfers and 182 preventable deaths per year.

Please support local healthcare access and act to save the Bay Area Hospital!

With regards,"