



Chair Kropf, Vice Chairs Chotzen and Wallan and members of the committee,

My name is Brooke Hill, and I am submitting testimony today on behalf of Oregon AFSCME. We are a labor union of around 40,000 members advocating for workers and their families in the public and private sectors. Thank you for the opportunity to submit comment today. I am writing in strong support of HB 4114, the Protect Your Door Act.

Our immigrant families are under attack by the federal government. They are our family, friends, neighbors, and colleagues. We cannot stand for this consistent and targeted devastation, for children being separated from their families. ICE's lawless immigration enforcement is stanchly against the values of our state. This is a moment that requires all of us, standing together against these illegal actions. Oregon AFSCME stands in unwavering support of HB 4114, and the Immigrant Justice Package. It is now up to Oregonians to protect our own communities against federal overreach, and this measure is a significant step in the right direction.

HB 4114, The Protect Your Door Act, prohibits entry into homes without a valid, signed warrant or explicit consent by the occupants of the residence. We have seen significant and repeated violations of immigrant Oregonians' constitutional rights, including forced entry into homes, forced removal, and entry without consent. The Constitution is only meaningful when it is enforceable. HB 4114 holds perpetrators responsible and builds in accountability. It allows us to take further action when our rights are violated.

Immigrants are the lifeblood of our economy and culture. They are what makes America great. Allowing our community to live in fear undermines the most basic of our social contracts. We have an obligation to stand up and speak out. The amount of misleading or blatantly false information being spread about immigrants by the federal government is untenable. We have to stand unequivocally against these actions, and protect the most vulnerable among us. We all have a duty to protect our own, and are now forced to do so in spite of the actions of the federal administration.

The Protect Your Door Act is part of the 2026 Immigrant Justice Package and is backed by a broad coalition of immigrant justice advocates, civil liberties groups,



unions, and community based organizations, including Oregon AFSCME. I strongly urge you to support these community-led policies to protect the freedoms of all Oregonians.

Sincerely,

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