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To: Senate Committee on Business and Transportation

Several years ago, the State Building Codes Division approached local government and contractors with a plan to implement a system of electronic building permit services. The permitting system is used by many cities and counties across Oregon. As users and supporters of this unique state and local government partnership, we strongly encourage the legislature to continue this program.

With this program The City of Wilsonville is able to provide for electronic tracking and accounting of our building inspection programs and provide services on-line to our customers. We all benefit from the use of this system but the most beneficial aspect of the program is the time savings to the contractors and customers who use the system.

We strongly want the program to continue and save time and valuable resources by a tried and true vendor through the state's program. This is an example of a program that works and we want to continue this effort.

Thank you for your consideration.

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