

Support SB 611—Grow Oregon Jobs and Technology

In Oregon, we strive to find ways to benefit all parts of our state when public policy is made. SB 611 is one of those success stories.

Addressing the problem of central assessment is critical to growing Oregon's technology-based economy, one that will bring jobs to Crook County, as well as Washington County. SB 611 has rural and urban support, as well as business and labor union support. It has bipartisan support, as evidenced in the unanimous do-pass recommendation out of the Senate Finance and Revenue Committee.

As Mayor of Beaverton I'm particularly excited about putting the unprecedented "gigabit" incentive into law, which will help bring ultra, high-speed broadband networks to the Beaverton area.

SB 611 is win-win for Oregon.

The issues surrounding central assessment are complex and have been bogged down in litigation for years. SB 611 provides us a path forward and it's time we take it.

I urge your support of SB 611.

Sincerely,

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