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To: Chair Hass, Vice-Chair Beitz and members of Senate Committee on Finance and Revenue:

Please vote YES on SB 268. This bill will provide a personal income tax subtraction for adopting cats and dogs from animal rescue organizations. From having previously adopted stray and shelter pets, I know that a substantial amount of money (as well as time, effort, and love) is involved. The state tax subtraction will help with the financial considerations. It will also be a way for Oregon to say to the new pet owner, "You're doing something important by adopting a homeless pet. Your helping your community and your state."

This is an important step for Oregon to take. Thank you for your time and please vote YES on this bill.

Sincerely,

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