Committee,

At it's March 29<sup>th</sup> City Legislative Committee meeting, the Corvallis CLC voted unanimously to "strongly support" SB 577:

Relating to bias crimes.

Directs Department of Justice to study topics relating to bias crimes and report results to interim committees of Legislative Assembly related to judiciary on or before September 15, 2020.

As you are most likely aware, this bill is currently in this committee and is scheduled for a work session on April 4<sup>th</sup>. The Corvallis CLC strongly urges you to advance this bill and vote "Yes".

Thank you for your time,

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