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Dear Chair Nathanson and Chair Hass, and members of the Joint Committee on Tax Expenditures,

I am asking you to take action to ensure that Individual Development Accounts remain available to Oregonians who need them. Please include the provisions of SB 790 in HB 2164.

Individual Development Accounts are a valuable tool to give Oregonians with low incomes the boost they need to build a more secure financial future. --

Whether it be homeownership, purchasing a car for transportation, or furthering their education, the IDA Program really makes a difference and helps folks achieve their goals.

We need the Legislature to take action to keep the Oregon IDA Initiative working in our communities, and we need to expand the reach of IDAs to more people. -

I currently have a long wait list for our IDA Program. It is in demand because it is such an excellent program, we need the funding!!

Thank you for all of your hard work this session, and thank you for your attention to keeping IDAs available.

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