

To: Oregon House Committee on Judiciary
From: Karen Stephenson, Corvallis, House District 16
Date: February 3, 2020
Re: Support for House Bill 4121

Dear Members of the House Committee on Judiciary:

I strongly support HB 4121.

As a resident of Benton County, which also has a contract with NORCOR, I have been paying attention to the policies of that facility. Using a public jail to detain people for ICE violates Oregon's Sanctuary Law, which was passed in 1987 and reaffirmed in 2018 when Oregonians voted down measure 105, which attempted to repeal the law.

I thank you for your time and consideration and encourage you to support HB 4121.

Sincerely,
Dr. Karen F. Stephenson