

To: Chair Prozanski and members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Ballot Measure 110 Implementation:

I am retired and live in Lebanon and feel strongly that SB755 should be fully funded as the need is great not only in the rest of Oregon but in House District 17. I have a friend who lives in Cascadia whose son lives in Lebanon with his wife and 2 kids. The mother has drug issues which prevent them from saving adequately and this makes things difficult for the entire family. There's also a huge problem with homelessness in our area exacerbated by higher housing costs but also by drug abuse and not being able to save for deposits. The need is great so I hope the funding will be there to save lives and put people on a footing to being productive citizens.