

Dear Chair Prozanski and members of the Senate Committee on Judiciary and Ballot Measure 110 Implementation.

My name is Michele Karaffa and I care deeply about seeing SB755 implemented fully. I am a residence of Yamhill County.

I've worked in public health for years and have also worked in corrections. It is not uncommon to see people with addictions who want treatment but can not get it because there have been no beds available or they could not afford it. I have seen how addiction and the criminalization of addiction can lead to homelessness and additional health problems.

Please fully fund SB755 and implement it without delay.

Thank you.
Sincerely,

Michele Karaffa