

My name is Kathryn Hahn, and I am a pharmacist in Springfield, Oregon. I am writing in support of House Bill 2462, which would require pharmacy benefit managers to amend contracts with community pharmacies to account for costs incurred from new taxes. The financial viability for many community pharmacies is precarious and absorbing that corporate activity tax is simply not an option.

It is very evident that our ability to take care of under served populations during times of stress, as seen now with our efforts to vaccinate those who slip through the cracks is essential.

This bill provides a mechanism to maintain the Student Success Fund, while simultaneously addressing the needs of community pharmacies.

I urge you to support HB 2462.