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To: House Committee on Economic Recovery and Prosperity; others

Re: I OPPOSE [HB 2267]...Repeal [ORS 461.547] and [ORS 284.555].

Yamhill County's use of Video-Lottery allocations via the contract with Strategic Economic Development Corporation (SEDCOR) is abhorrent.

Yamhill County voted for decision makers and not to contract with third parties.

Has Yamhill County and or SEDCOR undergone a performance and financial audit pertaining to the use of Video-Lottery funds by the Audits Division of the Secretary of State?

Review the \$25,000 Grant to Chatanika Farms for starters.

Does the State of Oregon's Department of Administrative Services (DAS) have fiduciary obligation(s) to taxpayers to ensure Video-Lottery dispersals are routinely audited for performance and further financial dispersals by Yamhill County's Board of Commissioners and or their Agent (SEDCOR)?

What was the last date the "Economic Revitalization Team" as defined in [ORS 284.555]; underwent a complete financial and performance audit by the Audits Division of the Secretary of State?

What was the last date the entire Video-Lottery program underwent a complete financial and performance audit by the Audits Division of the Secretary of State?

Review the State of Oregon's Secretary of State's 2021-2022 Audit Plan here:

<https://sos.oregon.gov/audits/Documents/2021-01.pdf>

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ David S. Wall

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