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BOB TACKETT
Executive Secretary-Treasurer

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Joint Committee on Tax Expenditures
900 Court Street NE
Salem, OR 97301

Dear Joint Committee on Tax Expenditures,

On behalf of the NW Oregon Labor Council, AFL-CIO, I'm writing to urge you to **vote YES on HB 3244 and SB43**. HB3244 expands the Oregon Production Incentive Fund (OPIF) from \$14 million to \$20 million. SB43 extends both the Oregon Production Investment Fund and the Greenlight Oregon programs for +6 years. These bills are critical to keeping our state competitive for film, TV, commercials, and other digital media.

Please **vote YES on HB 3244 and SB43** to expand and extend these critical programs for our local production industry.

Passing HB 3244 and SB43 has the added bonus of attracting and retaining more production projects that keep our friends in the Entertainment and Events Industry gainfully employed.

Thank you for your consideration of our request,



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