

I strongly oppose this bill, specifically the -2 portion to extend the eviction moratorium an additional 60 days. Tenants have had numerous extensions and time to figure out a plan of payment for rent. Making changes to SB 282 adds more confusion to laws already in place which are constantly changing and hard enough to keep up with as is. With the LCF and millions of funds available to tenants to help repay back rent, additional unemployment payments, and many employers who are unable to fill needed positions of employment, there are no more excuses as to why this is still needed. One party should not have to take the brunt of this pandemic any longer. Many tenants are taking advantage of the moratorium by choosing not to pay rent when they are able to and/or not responding to landlords who reach out to try and get assistance on the tenants behalf. Oregon needs to get back to life and quit digging a deeper hole.