

Estimados miembros del comité de Negocio y Labor; Chair Holvey, Vice Chairs Bonham, Vice Chair Grayber, y otros miembros,

Mi nombre es Jesus, yo trabajo en la remodelación pero trabajaba en el campo hace tiempo. Escribo para urgirles que apoyen el pago de tiempo extra para los campesinos después de las 40 horas.

En el tiempo yo trabajaba 60-70 horas a la semana donde entrábamos a las 7am y salíamos a las 8/9pm. No recibía pago de overtime. Si tuviera el pago de overtime me hubiera ayudado en el retiro o como para comprar una casa. Porque el sueldo que salía era lo que usaba para pagar el estudio de mis hijos.

En el trabajo también había mucho estrés porque vivíamos en las viviendas del trabajo. Teníamos mucha presión al tener que trabajar y no podíamos faltar. Si queríamos tomar un día de descanso no podíamos porque los patrones siempre nos estaban vigilando. Si no trabajamos, nos quitaban un día de trabajo. Había represalias.

Les pido que apoyen el pago de tiempo extra después de las 40 horas. También les pido que fueran humanos y que se pusieran en los zapatos de un campesino y que pusieran poquito criterio para el campesino y apreciar el sustento de la comida.

Igualdad para todos tener el overtime es importante para nosotros. Ahorita es racismo porque no hay igualdad. En cambio, si trabaja una persona blanca, el si cobra overtime. Y no solamente como campesinos sino también como trabajadores de construcción.

Los campesinos merecemos tener una vida digna y no ser discriminados.

Gracias,

Jesus  
Campesino  
Beaverton

Dear members of the Business and Labor committee; Chair Holvey, Vice Chairs Bonham, Vice Chair Grayber, and Members of the House Business and Labor Committee

My name is Jesus, I work in remodeling but I worked in the fields for a long time. I write to urge you to support the payment of overtime for farm workers after 40 hours.

At the time, I worked 60-70 hours a week where we came in at 7am and left at 8/9pm. I did not receive overtime pay. If I had the overtime payment, it would have helped me in retirement or to buy a house. Because the salary that came out was what I used to pay for my children's studies.

At work there was also a lot of stress because we lived in the work housing. We had a lot of pressure having to work and we couldn't miss it. If we wanted to take a day off, we couldn't because the bosses were always watching us. If we didn't work, they took away a day of work. There was retaliation.

I ask you to support the payment of overtime after 40 hours. I also ask you to be humane and to put yourselves in the shoes of a farmworker and you can appreciate the sustenance of food we provide to your communities. .

Equality for having overtime is important to us. Right now it's racism because there is no equality. If a white person works, he will charge overtime and he will demand that right. And not only as farm workers but also as construction workers.

Farmworkers deserve to have a decent life and not be discriminated against.

Thanks,

Jesus  
Farmer - fields  
Beaverton

Date

INTRODUCTION: Chair Holvey, Vice Chairs Bonham, Vice Chair Grayber, and Members of the House Business and Labor Committee

My name is \_\_\_\_\_, and I am \_\_\_\_\_. I am writing in support of farmworker overtime after 40 hours.

KEY MESSAGES:

(Insert story why you care about this issue)

(focus on Key [Community Messages](#))

CLOSE: This is why I/we urge you to vote yes on farmworker overtime after 40 hours to ensure farmworkers in Oregon are paid fairly for their labor.

Sincerely,

*Name*

*Position title/Role*

*Organization*