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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Business and Labor

Measure: HB4002

Dear Chair Holvey and Members of the House Business and Labor Committee,

I am writing to you today in support of farmworker overtime.

I have worked in migrant health for over 30 years as part of the Virginia Garcia Memorial Health Center. I have witnessed how our farmworkers work in all kinds of weather, including the smoke and heat. It's important that farmworkers receive the same protections as other workers and receive fair wages, including overtime for the essential work they provide. Our farmworkers put food on our table and deserve to be treated fairly and with dignity.

I urge you to pass farmworker overtime in the 2022 Legislative Session to ensure farmworkers in Oregon are paid fairly for their skilled and essential labor.

Sincerely,
Gil Munoz