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To Whom it May Concern,

I am writing to express my support for SB 776 that would establish a task force on reparations for Oregonians of African-American descent. John Lewis introduced HR 40, the federal government's version of SB 776, onto the floor of the House every year for nearly three decades, but it never advanced to a vote and he died in 2020, his dream deferred. Please, be better than the House. Establish the task force, face up to our past, and do what's right.

Thank you and be well,

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