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I have read the testimonies of the other participants in this public hearing for SB 344-1, and I am quite impressed with the approach of delivering these established, community-based services, rather than just building more expensive jails and prisons. The data presented shows this works. I can only speak as an ordinary taxpayer (I'm not involved with any of these groups) who wants to see my tax dollars spent on efficient, practical, cost-effective ways to see fairness and justice done in Oregon. Please extend the sunset to 2033 to continue helping people, keeping Oregon safe and using our money wisely.

And if technology can be improved to give OR more accurate recidivism counts, then of course, this is the way to go! It would be fool-hardy (and a waste of my tax dollars!) to base justice and corrections activities on data that is not up to date and correct, right?

Please pass SB 344-1

Thank you for listening.