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I am a retired psychotherapist. This is a humane bill that absolutely should pass. Many women who end up in abusive relationships have previously been abused, often in childhood. They need help and treatment not incarceration, and that includes those who may have committed illegal acts when they were at the end of their rope. Please help Oregon to have a more enlightened and fair criminal justice system by supporting this bill, SB 1040.
Thank you.