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On Behalf Of:

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Our cultural groups are a major economic driver for Oregon and particularly for Portland. Portland Art Museum draws thousands of visitors downtown, not only tourists but from the Metro area and beyond. These people support local services: restaurants, bars, shops. The Museum is undertaking the largest construction project happening downtown. We're raising over \$100 million for the Museum expansion but the funds in this bill will be a tremendous help with operating expenses. I hope you will support this bill. Thank you!