

Please vote yes on SB 1583. As a public librarian in the state of Oregon, I urge you to approve Senate Bill 1583 to protect the right to information. Experts with a background in education must be empowered to make informed decisions regarding textbooks and other educational curriculum used to educate young Oregonians. Challenges to classroom materials rooted in opinion (not facts) harm the intellectual development of our future workforce and leaders.

It is time to support the decisions of people who are experts in education and information literacy so that they may focus on educating the children and young adults of the state of Oregon. Vote yes on SB 1583.