

Submitter: Jennifer Hicks

On Behalf
Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Ways and Means Subcommittee On Capital
Construction

Measure: HB5201

To Whom It May Concern,

As a long time member of the Eugene community, as a mother as well as being very involved in local community events as a real estate agent, I am in complete support of and for the Eugene Emerald's receiving any financial support and any issues needing to be resolved for them to be able to have their new home at Lane County Fairgrounds. Our community needs to have fun, safe and healthy activities and events to go to, which include going to the Em's games. Also, knowing that the new stadium would be open to other events and to the community at different times when baseball is not in season, would be a huge asset to the community with having a wonderful location for such. Having this new Em's stadium I do think would increase our value as a community, making Eugene a more fun, active, safe and supportive place to live. As a parent, I know how hard it can be to find fun and safe things for us to enjoy with your kids and not having the Em's here would be a significant loss to many of us.

I approve and support the new stadium for the Eugene Emerald's.

Thank you,

Jennifer Hicks