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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2301

Hello House Revenue Committee members:

I support HB2301 to increase the limits of Oregon's "Death Tax". \$1 million is a small number by today's standards. Values of many family owned businesses, ranches and farms are well in excess of that number. Upon the death of a major owner the business must be sold or broken up to accommodate paying the taxes owed. That is just wrong. This bill is overdue in Oregon to protect small ownerships. Please pass this bill.

Thanks You

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