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Support and Justification for HB 3175

Public Land Corner Preservation Program Modernization

Dear Oregon Legislators:

I have been affiliated with land surveying for over 4 decades, and currently am employed as an Operations Forester in Seaside Oregon.

For some years I performed property surveys, and since then as a landowner representative I have hired consulting land surveyors.

Having the main anchor points of our land surveying network maintained for all surveyors to use for their clients is a vital resource, and an economic benefit to the public as a whole.

One of the most useful things I have seen has been the County Surveyor's fund, which enables them to maintain for public use the major controlling property corner monuments in their counties.

The record-filing fee which supports this long-existing fund has not been upgraded to current financial standards, so I support that upgrading.

Thank you for considering this.

Respectfully,



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