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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Housing and Development

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB949

I STRONGLY OPPOSE SB 949

A segregated city within a city (a 15-minute city) directed at the black area in Portland. 15-minute cities are to help control the population with strict rules for coming and going.

The bill provides no guidelines on how to incorporate Commercial and residential units, or accountability on how \$10 million should be spent. This project already received \$25 million in 2019 from federal grants and yet to see an "affordable" house. It also received \$400 million from the Nike Foundation. It appears to be just another grab of taxpayer money out of the general fund that only helps the city of Portland.