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I support the establishment of the task force on reparations for Black Americans of African descent. This is an important to cause that is long overdue. Black Oregonians deserve financial and nonfinancial reparations for irreparable harm due to discrimination, segregation, exclusion and racial harassment faced in Oregon. I believe this study should also include nonfinancial resources such as healthcare to address the Black maternal mortality rate and other instances where healthcare failed our families for generations.

Thank you for prioritizing HB2995.