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**Community Connection**  
**of Northeast Oregon, Inc.**

Community Action Agency  
Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC)  
Area Agency on Aging (Dist. 13)  
Housing Counseling Agency  
Public Transit Provider

**Helping people. Changing lives.**

March 3, 2025

Senator Kayse Jama, Chair  
Senate Committee on Rules  
Oregon State Capitol  
Salem, Oregon

Dear Chair Jama and the Senate Committee Rules:

Community Connection is writing this letter of support of the Senate Bill recognizing and honoring Ruth McEwen (SCR25) for her advocacy work that she did for Oregonians over the years.

Ruth was dedicated, knowledgeable, and worked hard to support consumers, and home care workers.

Please consider supporting the Bill that recognizes Ruth and the commitment she made to make Oregon a better place for Oregonians to live.

Sincerely,

Jeff Hensley  
Assistant Director