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OREGON COUNTY CLERKS CELEBRATE DENNIS RICHARDSON AND URGE SUPPORT OF HCR 9

Dear Chair Jama, Vice-Chair Bonham, Senator Golden, Senator Manning and Senator Thatcher:

The Oregon Association of County Clerks (OACC) is glad to see this bill honoring former Oregon Secretary of State Dennis Richardson.

Former Secretary Richardson had a motto "pro tanto quid retribuamus," which means "what shall we give in return for so much?" He was committed to serving the public and giving back however he could.

Secretary Richardson did not just preach his values; he lived them. This was evident in the way he served others personally and politically throughout his years in office.

While in his position as Secretary, he worked tirelessly towards ensuring that county election officials had the means to better serve Oregonians across the state. We appreciate all he did to support the county clerks and for all his service to Oregon and all its citizens.

The Oregon Association of County Clerks (OACC) supports HCR 9 to honor former Secretary Richardson and express our appreciation for his dedicated service to our state.

Thank you for the opportunity to weigh in to support of the bill.

Sincerely,

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