

Submitter: Sally Ann Shipstad

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Health Care

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1000

SUBJECT: Counting on you to OPPOSE SB1000

MESSAGE: Dear Lawmakers:

I understand that the Bay Area Hospital in Coos Bay needs financial help. But SB1000 will only end up subsidizing an unpopular sale/lease plan. Oregon taxpayers should NOT be on the hook for propping up a hospital that will be sold and leased to Quorum Health by the time the bill takes effect.

Instead, please consider the alternative Shared Responsibility Plan offered by UFCW Local 555. I, as well as 56% of voters in the region, prefer this plan to a private equity sale/lease.

Sincerely,
Sally AnnShipstad

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Coos Bay