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Hello, my name is Kíro Patterson, and I am 17 years old. I began my recovery journey at the age of 15 as a sophomore in high school. 4D Recovery has played a crucial role in my progress by providing a strong community, essential resources, and mentorship from individuals who truly understand my experiences. Through their support, I was able to pursue a life I never thought possible.

Without these resources, I would still be in the same place I was before, struggling without hope. True recovery must be accessible to those who need it. Oregon's drug crisis cannot be solved by investing in areas where recovery is not a priority. We need more resources dedicated to real solutions that provide people with the opportunity to rebuild their lives. this bill will help provide those without resources to a better way of living.