

Dear Co-Chair Girod, Co-Chair Nosse and Members of the Subcommittee on Capital Construction,

I'm writing in support of \$85 million in Article-G Bonds for the Performing Arts + Culture Center (PACC) to support needed academic space and a PSU-run community theater as part of Portland State's Capital Construction Bond Request

I am studying choral conducting and hope to eventually become a collegiate choral director of my own. This new performing arts center would drastically help with our university AND the revitalization of the downtown core. As a graduate student, I've been around many universities and PSU is in desperate need of new facilities to compete with other institutions.

PSU students need your support. This is a rare opportunity to help reshape Portland's future and provide needed academic space at the university. Please support Portland State's Capital Construction Bond Request and invest in the PACC.

Sincerely,

Phill Hatton