Submitter:

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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

Joint Committee On Ways and Means Subcommittee On Capital Construction

Measure, Appointment or SB5505 Topic:

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 believe a new performing arts center will help revitalize the downtown area, and will help provide a new space for a variety of different art forms at both the collegiate and professional level. I was an arts kid growing up, partaking in dance, choir, and theatre, and I think it is essential to have spaces to cultivate those passions and desires in this city. This is especially true for those who wish to pursue it professionally, having an up to date, attractive, usable facility is key. 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,

Camila Villanueva-Lisboa