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CHARITABLE FOUNDATION

Letter of Support

To: Honorable Members of the Oregon Legislature
Re: Support for Consejo Hispano's Capital Funding Request for Casa Mariposa
Date: February 26, 2025

To whom it may concern:

Consejo Hispano is a pillar of strength for Oregon's North Coast, empowering Latinx individuals and families with the resources, knowledge, and opportunities they need to thrive. Through financial literacy programs, tax assistance, emergency preparedness, crisis support, and public health outreach, Consejo Hispano is not only addressing urgent needs but also laying the foundation for long-term resilience and economic mobility.

Strong, inclusive communities are the backbone of a thriving Oregon. When all Oregonians have access to education, financial security, and civic engagement, our entire state benefits—our workforce grows stronger, our local economies flourish, and our communities become more connected and resilient. Consejo Hispano is at the forefront of this work, ensuring that historically underserved populations have the tools and support to fully participate in and contribute to Oregon's future.

Since 2024, we have invested \$125,000 in Consejo Hispano because we recognize its extraordinary leadership, its ability to create real and lasting change, and its critical role in strengthening our state. Supporting organizations like Consejo Hispano – and Casa Mariposa – is not just an investment in a single community, **it is an investment in Oregon's future.**

The acquisition of Casa Mariposa represents a significant step forward, securing a permanent foundation for Consejo Hispano's essential work. With this stability, the organization will continue to expand its reach, deepen its impact, and contribute to the long-term success of Oregon's North Coast and beyond.

We are proud to support Consejo Hispano and its vision of a stronger, more equitable Oregon. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you require any additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tyler Hobbs", written in a cursive style.

Tyler Hobbs
President