

OEA email boasting that
HB 3789 is targeted at the
Freedom Foundation.

defined-contribution plans, cutting benefits and raising costs for workers.

- **The Freedom Foundation Uses Deceitful Tactics to Confuse Union Members Into Dropping Their Membership.** The Freedom Foundation sends mail and uses phone calls where they hide their true agenda and use confusing language to trick union members into dropping their membership. Union members have unintentionally dropped their membership only to be surprised and frustrated when they try to access benefits and find that their membership has been dropped.

Source: [Accountable NW](#)

What is OEA Doing to Fight the Freedom Foundation?

OEA is supporting legislation being considered by the Oregon legislature this session that would make it unlawful for organizations to falsely impersonate a union representative. This tactic is often used by organizations like the Freedom Foundation as they seek to undermine our union using deceptive practices.

OEA Executive Director Tracey-Ann Nelson [recently provided testimony to lawmakers urging them to support passage of this important bill.](#)



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