Submitter: Lele Du

On Behalf Of: Osborn Aquatic Center

Committee: Joint Committee On Ways and Means Subcommittee On

**Capital Construction** 

Measure, Appointment or

Topic:

SB5531

To whom it may concern,

I'm writing in support of the Osborn Aquatic Center. It is in urgent need of necessary repairs to continue serving swimmers in Oregon and the greater Northwest region. My daughter qualified for regional times this year but was unable to attend the regional meet because the host facility in Boise, ID had limited capacity and could not accommodate our qualified swimmers. As a result, we had to travel to Arizona for a major meet. I would much rather attend events at the Osborn Aquatic Center, which is nearby, more affordable, and far more convenient for swim families like ours to plan trips.

The Osborn Aquatic Center is a great facility and would be an ideal venue for hosting state championships, regional meets, and more.

Thank you for your consideration. Please approve the funding request and help make the Osborn Aquatic Center a safe and accessible place for all Oregon swimmers to compete. I believe many families, including ours, would deeply appreciate it, and it would benefit thousands of swimmers across the region as well.

Sincerely,

Lele

A swim mom from Medford, Oregon.