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Osborn Aquatic Center has been a life safer for our kids. The swimming lessons are critical for the physical and mental safety of kids from Benton-Linn counties and beyond. The Osborn aquatic center is one of the few aquatic center in Oregon with an Olympic-sized swimming pool. Kids from all over the West Coast come to Corvallis for state and regional championships. The Osborn Aquatic Center is also a source of labor for our young adult kids. So many have become life guards. Without Osborn Aquatic Center kids will no longer be able to learn life saving skills, and to practice a sport that is so essential to their physical and mental well being. This is not about Corvallis, the Osborn Aquatic Center is a critical facility that serves the entire state of Oregon. Please give priority to the repair of the Osborn aquatic Center.