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On Behalf Of: Osborn Aquatic Center

Committee: Joint Committee On Ways and Means Subcommittee On

**Capital Construction** 

Measure, Appointment or SB5531

Topic:

I am writing in support of fixing the Osborn Aquatic Center after it was found to have serious structural problems with the roof. The cost of the repairs and reconstruction exceeds the amount either the school district or the city of Corvallis can afford alone. I have been a regular swimmer at Osborn since 2003. It is a primary part of my fitness routine and my health and well-being. There are many people like me reliant on Osborn for similar reasons and for recreation. Isn't it wonderful that thousands of other users can swim at Osborn when they visit Corvallis? Teams from all over come for competitive meets from a variety of age groups and swim skills. Beginners, Olympians, high school teams and many others come to Osborn gaining and maintaining health and wellness and having fun. Visitors from out of the area enjoy our town staying in hotels and eating at many different restaurants and enjoying a variety of other amenities.

Thank you for your time!