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On Behalf Of: Osborn Aquatic Center

Committee: Joint Committee On Ways and Means Subcommittee On

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SB5531

To Whom This May Concern,

On behalf of Coach Rick and the Corvallis Aquatic Team, I am writing to express my wholehearted support for the funding efforts to preserve the Osborn Aquatic Center. This facility is not only vital for the Corvallis swim community, but it also serves as an essential resource for athletes from all over the state, including Tigard, OR.

Osborn Aquatic Center has been a cornerstone of competitive swimming in Oregon, providing opportunities for athletes to train, compete, and grow in the sport. The partnerships and relationships built across teams—such as the collaboration between Corvallis Aquatic Team and Hillsboro Heat—show how this facility's impact extends far beyond local swimmers. Without this center, many athletes, including those from my own community, would lose an invaluable venue for skill development and competition.

I urge the state government to recognize the importance of the Osborn Aquatic Center and its broad influence on swimmers throughout Oregon. Its continued existence is crucial to maintaining the strength and success of swimming programs across the state.

Thank you for your dedication to this cause. Please let me know if there are additional ways I can support this effort.

Best regards,

Theresa Stachlowski Hillsboro Heat—Parent & Supporter