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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Ways and Means Subcommittee On
Capital Construction

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB5531

To whom it may concern:

I am writing to urge your support for funding repairs and improvements to the Osborn Aquatic Center in Corvallis. Osborn is a vital community resource that provides one of the only 3rd spaces in town where people of all generations can gather.

Particularly during the summer, it provides a safe place for middle school and high school students who may have aged out of the summer camp opportunities to gather with their peers.

Osborn is more than a pool - it is a cornerstone of public health, youth engagement, and statewide aquatic infrastructure. Without adequate funding for repairs, we risk losing not just a facility, but the many opportunities it brings to Oregon residents. I respectfully urge you to prioritize funding for this essential community asset.

Thank you for your attention and for your continued service to our state.

Sincerely,

Amanda Cordes