



## The Fair Shot For All Coalition supports HB 2548-7.

When workers have a voice in setting standards, entire industries thrive. We are disappointed to see that the original bill to create a workforce standards board will not be moving forward this session but we support this bill with the -7 amendments to learn more about the challenges facing farmworkers as a first step towards achieving more justice and equality for Oregon farmworkers.

Oregon farmworkers put food on our tables and contribute over \$6.4B to our state's economy, yet they experience poor working conditions and earn an average of just \$34,500 annually. For generations, farmworkers have been excluded from key labor protections such as the National Labor Relations Act and the Fair Labor Standards Act. These exclusions have resulted in longstanding economic disparities.

Every worker deserves a voice in creating safe, fair, and sustainable working conditions. **We strongly urge** your support of HB 2548-7 and invest in Oregon's ability to understand and serve the people who feed our state.

