



CRIME VICTIMS UNITED
of Oregon

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Chair Prozanski, Vice Chair Thatcher and Members of the Senate Judiciary Committee

Crime Victims United of Oregon is in support of SB 1550, Hidden Homicides Bill.

Crime Victims United of Oregon was founded in 1983 by members of Parents of Murdered Children. The founders set out to address deep flaws in Oregon's criminal justice system - flaws which they experienced firsthand in the aftermath of violent crime.

Over the past 37 years, **Crime Victims United of Oregon** has worked with the Oregon Legislature on laws to protect the rights of crime victims and enhance public safety.

Crime Victims United of Oregon has also worked with hundreds of individual victims, helping them navigate through the bureaucracy to find justice in the criminal justice system.

Best regards,

Steve Doell
President
Crime Victims United of Oregon