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On Behalf Of: North County Food Bank
Committee: Joint Committee On Ways and Means Subcommittee On
Capital Construction
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As a nonprofit leader serving north Tillamook County, I am writing in support of funding site infrastructure for the North County Food Bank's new distribution facility in Nehalem.

Organizations across our rural communities depend on strong, coordinated local partners to meet essential needs, and North County Food Bank is a cornerstone of that regional support network. Their project is shovel-ready, locally supported, and designed as a modest facility that will serve residents for decades while allowing for future growth as needs evolve.

Investment in this infrastructure strengthens not only one organization, but the resilience of the broader north Tillamook County service ecosystem.

Thank you for your consideration.