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On Behalf Of:

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

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB5701

Capital Construction Co-Chairs Girod and Nosse,

I am writing to express my support of Casa Mariposa, a request to the subcommittee to help the community in Astoria purchase and repurpose an old church, which would help stabilize the service community on the North Coast.

The North Coast is a unique place, and many of us who live here full time know how difficult it can be to find the resources we need, especially all under one roof. By supporting Consejo Hispano and the Casa Mariposa project, you'll be signalling to a robust community of North Coast residents that you care about their safety, well-being, and quality of life. As shown by their Public Testimony Document, there are many local businesses and organizations that are eager to see this dream become a reality in Astoria. Astoria, as the home for Casa Mariposa, couldn't be better situated. The Northwest POINT and Connector Bus systems of the Sunset Empire Transportation District ensure that folks without their own transportation would still be able to travel to Astoria and benefit from Casa Mariposa.

Please help our incredible North Coast community to thrive by supporting the efforts to fund this program. Thank you for your time and your consideration.