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2024 is the year we make our voices HEARD. With the legislative session fast approaching, the ACLU of Oregon is working hard to find ways to amplify the voices of all Oregonians, not just those with the wealth and connections that give them direct access to lawmakers.

Your voice advocating for a better Oregon matters. That's where Letters to the Editor – also called "LTEs" – come in.

Letters to the Editor are a powerful method to influence public narrative, media and decision makers on key issue areas that impact our communities. They are a nocost, quick, and easy way to take action and make a difference from your computer.

SIGN UP TO SUBMIT A LETTER TO THE EDITOR TODAY!

SIGN UP

If this sounds like something you'd like to do, here is what you can expect:

- The ACLU of Oregon will email you when there is a need for LTEs to be submitted.
- Once you reply with availability to submit a letter (via email), we will provide
 you with a template that you can use or revise as you'd like, including adapting
 it to reflect your personal experience.
- You will submit your LTE via email to news publication(s) and include your first and last name, email address, Oregon address, and phone number. (If your LTE is published, only your first and last name and city of residence will be published by the newspaper, the rest is for verification purposes.)
- We will notify you if we see your letter published, and we will likely share it on our social media channels!

If you want to know more, or see some examples, you can read our community's previously published LTEs on <u>our website</u>.

Thank you for your support in advocating for a more just, caring and equitable Oregon.

Stay tuned for upcoming legislative session updates and other opportunities to take action.

In solidarity,

Jackie Yerby

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Director of Community Engagement, ACLU or Oregon

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