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HB 4036 Public Hearing Establishes the Preserve Affordable Homes for Oregon Fund to deposit Article XI-Q bonds to be used to preserve affordable housing at risk of loss.

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Chair, Member of the committee,

My name is Abidah, and I live in Portland Oregon. I work as case manager supporting refugee and immigrate families, seniors and low-income household a cross our state. I'm here today to speak about the urgent need to protect affordable manufactured housing communities especially for residents age 55 and older, who are at serious risk when these communities are sold to private investor. Manufactured home communities are one of the last truly affordable housing option left in Oregon. Many seniors living in these parks own their homes but rent the land beneath them. leaving them extremely vulnerable. When a park is sold, these older adults face rent increases they cannot absorb, displacement they cannot survive, and the loss of the stability they have built over decades.

I urge the legislature to strengthen protection for residents in manufactured housing communities.

- Ensure ring residents have real opportunities to purchase their park when it goes up for sale.

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