

# Wine Symposium

FEBRUARY 3, 2025



## Today's agenda

- Welcome
- Goals
- Introduce Oregon for All coalition
- Oregon's immigrant justice context
- Resources
- Current priorities
- Calls to Action

## Welcome & introductions

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## Goals

1. Introduce Oregon for All coalition.
2. Provide an overview of Oregon's political landscape.
3. Build support for our priorities.

**Oregon for All**

## Steering Committee




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## **Our mission and strategy**

Oregon for All advances immigrant and refugee justice to build a more welcoming and prosperous state through education, research, organizing, and policy advocacy. Together, we will uplift our shared values to foster thriving and resilient communities.

### **We leverage our collective power to:**

- Reject anti-immigrant policies at all levels of government.
  - Advance a proactive vision for immigrant inclusion and success.
  - Demonstrate that hate and violence have no place in our politics or our communities.
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## **Oregon for All's priorities**

- Cross-organization coordination.
- Narrative and communications.
- Rapid response planning & coordination.



## Coalition members

- 40+ organizations and community leaders, and growing.
- Representing communities across the state
- Coalition members are listed on [OregonforAll.us](https://OregonforAll.us)

# **Oregon's immigrant justice context**

## Oregonians lean toward fairness

- 1987 Oregon's Sanctuary Law & Sanctuary Promise
- One Oregon coalition
- Extensive messaging research
- No on 105 victory
- Many legislative wins: Driver's Licenses, Paid Sick Days, Farmworker Overtime, Healthier Oregon and more.
- Oregon Worker Relief, including Equity Corps of Oregon
- **We're strong & resilient!**

## The Challenges Ahead

- **Trump said he wants to deport two million immigrants.** The scale of the mass deportations that President Trump and his surrogates have threatened would require the use of large detention camps.
- **In his first term, he deported more than 200,000 people.** President Trump and his surrogates have repeatedly said their plan includes the deportation of whole families, even though some family members may be citizens or have other documented status in the US.
- **DHS/ICE does not have enough staff and resources to deport that many people.** To accomplish the increases they have threatened, they would need the cooperation of local police and sheriffs and potentially the military, such as national guard, too.
- **Trump will need more and new resources.** Relatedly, they have also threatened to end fundamental current rights such as birthright citizenship, as well as long standing programs like DACA.

## How Trump might use laws


- Insurrection Act
- Alien Enemies Act
- Laken Riley Act

## Local Police & Sheriffs

- State law gives broad powers to sheriffs.
- Are there sufficient measures to prevent and address individual police and sheriff officers if they disregard Oregon values and laws - including our Sanctuary laws?
- We need more communication and support from Law Enforcement to ensure Oregon Sanctuary Law is implemented.

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## White Supremacist & Hate Groups

- There are white supremacist and hate groups in Oregon and Washington, including Proud Boys - some of whose leadership are in federal prison related to Jan 6 attack on the U.S. capitol.
  - Some of these groups have relationships with police officers.
  - Will these groups engage in increased harassment and violence of our communities or try to instigate counter protestors or engage in other actions to support President Trump's agenda?
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# Resources



## **Resources for community & partners**

- Know Your Rights, Equity Corps of Oregon, Oregon Worker Relief, Safeguarding Organizations and Safeguarding schools toolkits
- Oregon Attorney General's Sanctuary Toolkit
- OFA messaging & media relations support, website, social media and rapid response communications toolkit
- Coalition trainings


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## Oregon is home

Immigrant and refugee Oregonians are our family, friends, neighbors, classmates, and colleagues—part of what makes Oregon strong and beautiful.

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## **Reshape the narrative: Oregon is home**

- Immigrant Oregonians are our family, friends, neighbors, classmates, and colleagues—part of what makes Oregon strong and beautiful.
  - In Oregon, we believe in caring for each other and protecting our communities against people who try to divide us.
  - Hardworking immigrants are part of our families, communities, workplaces, and places of worship and should be safe from harassment, just like any other Oregonian.
  - Oregonians reject harmful efforts to divide our communities and families.
  - Our state is enriched by the diversity of experiences, cultures, and traditions that all of us, including immigrants, bring to our communities.
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**Current priorities**

## Current priorities & needs

- Support Immigrant Justice legislative package
  - Food for All Oregonians, Home Fund, Universal Representation, Indigenous Language Justice and Disaster Relief for Farmworkers
- Join our coalition or help grow our coalition
- Work with our communications team
- Participate in a messaging and spokesperson trainings
- Bring in new resources

## Support team

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### **Join the coalition**

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**Questions & discussion**

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