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Leader Bowman Congratulates New Senate Majority Leader Kathleen Taylor

SALEM, Ore. — Today, the Oregon Senate Democratic Caucus elected Sen. Kathleen Taylor (SE Portland, Milwaukie & Oak Grove) as the new Senate Majority Leader. Sen. Taylor is replacing Sen. Kate Lieber (D - Beaverton & SW Portland) who is taking on a new role as co-chair of the Joint Committee on Ways and Means.

House Majority Leader Ben Bowman (D - Tigard, Metzger, & S. Beaverton) issued the following statement congratulating Leader-elect Taylor:

“Throughout her years in the legislature, Senator Taylor has an impressive record of championing legislation focused on supporting families and schools, ensuring fairness and safety in our workplaces, and protecting our environment. She is a talented legislator and I’m looking forward to working with her in her new role.

“I also want to thank Senator Lieber for her contributions to the legislature as Majority Leader. She was a strong partner and helped ensure a smooth transition for me when I began my role. As the new Co-chair of the budget committee, she will help us leverage state resources to solve Oregon’s most pressing challenges, today and in the future.”

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