Oregon House Majority Leader Condemns Senate Republican Walkout

SALEM, Ore. – Oregon House Majority Leader Barbara Smith Warner (D-Portland) issued the following statement condemning the actions of Oregon Senate Republicans, after they walked out for the third time in less than a year.

“The repeated walkouts of the Oregon Senate Republicans over the last year are a disgraceful assault on our democratic institutions. This is not normal, and this is not a game.

“Oregonians send us here to have hard conversations, advocate for them and get work done – not shut down our government. Through their actions, Senate Republicans are wasting taxpayer dollars and telling the large majority of Oregonians that they don’t matter. Oregonians deserve so much better.”

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