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## House Democrats release plan to help strengthen schools, economy

SALEM – The Oregon House Democrats today released their Action Plan for the 2014 legislative session.

“We’re fighting to expand access to opportunity for all Oregonians,” House Majority Leader Val Hoyle (D – Eugene) said. “House Democrats will use this short session to deliver better results for our students, put Oregonians back to work, and make government more efficient, effective and transparent.”

Senate Majority Leader Diane Rosenbaum (D – Portland) and Rep. Hoyle released the Senate Democrats’ 2014 Agenda and the House Democrats’ 2014 Action Plan this morning at a press conference at the State Capitol. They were joined by Salem small business owner Jose Gonzalez and Portland State University student Rayleen McMillan, who each spoke to the importance of passing the components of the agendas.

The House Democrats’ Action Plan focuses on three key areas: prioritizing access to high-quality education; creating jobs and encouraging innovation; and making government work better for Oregonians.

“We made great progress last session, but now is the time to build on our successes and continue to expand opportunities for Oregonians to have more prosperous futures in the years ahead,” said Rep. Joe Gallegos (D – Hillsboro).

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The complete [House Democrats’ 2014 Agenda](#) and a [photo](#) from today’s press conference.

*[In photo, from left to right: Jose Gonzalez, president and owner of Tu Casa Real Estate, Senate Majority Leader Diane Rosenbaum, House Majority Leader Val Hoyle, Portland State University student Rayleen McMillan.]*