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## **Statement by House Speaker Tina Kotek on House Republicans walking off the job**

SALEM, Ore. – Oregon House Speaker Tina Kotek (D-Portland) issued the following statement today after Oregon House Republicans walked off the job for the second time in two weeks.

“I have routinely reached out to Republicans in a genuine effort to hear their ideas and compromise where we can. My door is always open. For now, they have chosen to walk off the job. We may disagree on policy, but one thing is for sure – we can’t reach consensus if the Republicans don’t show up for work.”

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