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Leader Lieber Welcomes New Senate Republican Leader Daniel Bonham

SALEM, OR – Today, **Senator Daniel Bonham (R - The Dalles)** was announced as the new Republican Leader for the Oregon Senate, succeeding **Senator Tim Knopp (R - Bend)**.

Senate Democratic Leader Kate Lieber (D - Beaverton & SW Portland) released this statement congratulating Senate Republican Leader Bonham and thanking Senator Knopp for his service in that role:

"I am happy to welcome Senator Bonham to his new role as Senate Republican Leader. I know we are both on Team Oregon and can deliver big wins for communities in every corner of our state.

"I am also deeply grateful to Senator Knopp for his service to our state and his partnership. Even in difficult moments, I really appreciate that we could get together and solve problems. He is a leader who consistently stands up for what he believes in, and I greatly respect him as a colleague and a friend."

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