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- <http://www.oregonnikkei.org/>

## TAKE ACTION NOW

### Urgent Action Requested – Contact Oregon State Legislators

**SB 778 Creating Office of Immigrant and Refugee Advancement Sponsor: State Senator Jama**

[SB778 2021 Regular Session - Oregon Legislative Information System \(oregonlegislature.gov\)](#)

**SB 282 Extension of grace period for tenant repayment of rent debt during COVID emergency to February 2022**

[SB282 2021 Regular Session - Oregon Legislative Information System \(oregonlegislature.gov\)](#)

**HB 2358 Mandates Overtime** pay for all agriculture workers.

[HB2358 2021 Regular Session - Oregon Legislative Information System \(oregonlegislature.gov\)](#)

**HB 3265 Updates Oregon Sanctuary Law** – currently in the House Judiciary Committee; prohibits public and private ICE detention contracts, prohibits warrantless arrests at Oregon’s courthouses, prevents racial profiling in our jails

[HB3265 2021 Regular Session - Oregon Legislative Information System \(oregonlegislature.gov\)](#)

**HB 2819 – Income Tax Credits** for undocumented workers with individual tax payer identification numbers /not social security numbers.

[HB2819 2021 Regular Session - Oregon Legislative Information System \(oregonlegislature.gov\)](#)

#### Oregon State Legislature

Find your legislator, status of bills, legislative hearings <https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/>

**Oregon Governor Kate Brown** <https://www.oregon.gov/gov/pages/index.aspx>

### Needs your urgent support – Contact Your US Senators

#### US Congress:

**S 937 and HR 1843 COVID Hate Crimes Act Sponsors: US Senator Hirono and Representative Meng**

[https://www.acponline.org/acp\\_policy/letters/acp\\_letter\\_of\\_support\\_for\\_the\\_covid-19\\_hate\\_crimes\\_act\\_hr\\_1843\\_s\\_937\\_in\\_the\\_117th\\_congress\\_march\\_2021.pdf](https://www.acponline.org/acp_policy/letters/acp_letter_of_support_for_the_covid-19_hate_crimes_act_hr_1843_s_937_in_the_117th_congress_march_2021.pdf)

**HR 6 American Dream and Promise Act**

Passed the House of Representatives, on 3/18/2019, included support from 9 Republicans.

Now in the US Senate, Provides path to citizenship for over 2 million people, including Dreamers.

Summary: <https://www.govtrack.us/congress/bills/117/hr6/summary>

**HR 1603 Farm Workforce Modernization Act**

Passed the House of Representative on 3/18/2021 , includes support from 30 Republicans -Republican Congressman Bentz from Oregon supported it !

Provides legal status of hundreds of thousands of farm workers living in the US without authorization

Speaker of the House Speech in Support: <https://www.speaker.gov/newsroom/31821-4>

**US Senator Jeff Merkley**

<https://www.merkley.senate.gov/>

**US Senator Ron Wyden**

<https://www.wyden.senate.gov/>

**US House of Representatives**

<https://www.house.gov/>

**American Friends Service Committee**

Overview of the Biden Administration’s immigration reform plan: [www.afsc.org](http://www.afsc.org)



## Important Organizations fighting for Rights of Immigrants and Refugees

ACLU Oregon - <https://aclu-or.org/>

Anti-Defamation League - <https://www.adl.org/>

APANO – Asian Pacific American Network of Oregon - <https://www.apano.org/about/>

Causa – Oregon Immigrant Rights Organization - <https://causaoregon.org/>

ICS – Immigration Counseling Service - <https://www.ics-law.org/>

Innovation Law Lab - <https://innovationlawlab.org/>

Interfaith Movement For Immigrant - [Interfaith Movement for Immigrant Justice](https://www.interfaithmovementforimmigrant.org/)

IRCO – Immigrant and Refugee Community Organization - <https://irco.org/>

Japanese American Citizens League - <https://jacl.org/>

Japanese American Citizens League - Portland Chapter - <https://www.pdxjacl.org/>

Organization of Chinese Americans - <https://www.ochanational.org/>

Southern Poverty Law Center - [splcenter.org](https://www.splcenter.org/)

Unite Oregon - <https://www.uniteoregon.org/>

Western States Center - <https://www.westernstatescenter.org/>

**Tsuru for Solidarity** <https://tsuruforsolidarity.org/about-us/>

Is a nonviolent, direct action project of Japanese American social justice advocates working to end detention sites and support front-line immigrant and refugee communities that are being targeted by racist, inhumane immigration policies. It stands on the moral authority of Japanese Americans who suffered the atrocities and legacy of U.S. concentration camps during WWII and we say, “Stop Repeating History!”

Tsuru for Solidarity Mission:

- Educate, advocate, and protest to close all U.S. concentration camps.
- Build solidarity with other communities of color that have experienced forced removal, detention, deportation, separation of families, and other forms of racial and state violence.
- Coordinate intergenerational, cross-community healing circles addressing the trauma of our shared histories.

## STOP ASIAN HATE Resources

### Asian Pacific American Network of Oregon

[https://www.acponline.org/acp\\_policy/letters/acp\\_letter\\_of\\_support\\_for\\_the\\_covid-19\\_hate\\_crimes\\_act\\_hr\\_1843\\_s\\_937\\_in\\_the\\_117th\\_congress\\_march\\_2021.pdf](https://www.acponline.org/acp_policy/letters/acp_letter_of_support_for_the_covid-19_hate_crimes_act_hr_1843_s_937_in_the_117th_congress_march_2021.pdf)

## National Resource List

Organizations to Support in the Fight Against Asian Hate

<https://www.harpersbazaar.com/culture/politics/a35862857/stop-asian-hate-organizations-to-support/>

## US Senator Mazie Hirono’s New Book

[Heart of Fire: An Immigrant Daughter's Story](#)

Click this link to pre-order from [Amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com/), and this link to preorder the Audible [audio book](#)

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