

What exactly has Kate Brown done for Oregonians?

Economy:

- Negotiated and ensured passage of a historic 10 year \$5.3 billion transportation package, improving Oregon infrastructure and creating approximately 16,000 jobs.
- Extended some corporate tax breaks to small businesses.
- Signed a bill to set a more progressive minimum wage for the state by 2022 (\$14.75 PDX, \$13.50 mid-size counties, \$12.50 rural), making the decision before Disney or Amazon, and recognizing that wage inequality has soared steadily for 40 years.



Environment:

- Signed into law the **Coal to Clean Energy Bill**.
- Signed and defended the bill extending Oregon's clean fuel standards.
- Supports passage of cap and invest on climate pollution.
- Spoke up against offshore drilling.
- Made sure Oregon remained committed to meeting the goals of the Paris Agreement.

Health Care:

- Endorsed Measure 101, thus securing funding for health care.
- Signed the Cover All Kids bill, which means that **100% of Oregon kids have health care** regardless of citizen status.
- Signed the Reproductive Health Equity Act, which **guarantees reproductive health care service without any out of pocket costs**.
- Drive times to reach healthcare have decreased significantly for rural counties from 2016–2018.
- Created the Opioid Epidemic Task Force, and declared substance abuse and addiction to be a public health crisis.

Education:

- Increased funding for the Oregon Promise program, which **allows low-income students to attend community college for as little as \$50 a semester** and ensures that poverty will not deny students the opportunity to pursue their dreams.
- Launched "Future Ready Oregon" to **ensure that the skills Oregon's workers have match Oregon's growing business needs, both urban and rural**.
- **Quadrupled funding for career and technical education**.
- The 4-year high school graduation rate has steadily increased by 5% since Governor Brown took office.
- **Funded full-day kindergarten** for all of Oregon.
- Funded The Chronic Absenteeism Statewide Plan in 2017.

Workers' Rights:

- Set a state minimum of **40 hours paid sick leave for all jobs.**
- Signed a bill **banning rent increases for the first year of month-to-month leases and requiring a 90-day notice of increases** thereafter, to protect against landlords increasing rent on families too quickly.
- Set up a default-ORSB state-run **retirement plan for all employers that don't offer a retirement plan.**

Sensible Gun Laws:

- Closed the "Boyfriend Loophole" by **signing the boyfriend loophole bill into law, protecting women who are victims of domestic violence** even if the victim was just dating the attacker.
- Signed legislation to **enforce universal background checks.**
- Passed the Red Flag bill that **allows a judge to temporarily take a gun away from someone if they are deemed a threat to themselves or others**, leading the country in common sense gun control.

Governance:

- Passed ethics reforms to restore trust and accountability in state government, becoming the **first governor to appoint a full time public records attorney and put all public records online.** Over 360,000 pages of public records were released.
- **Protected Oregon's status as a Sanctuary State.**

Veterans:

- Signed a **net funding increase for veterans in 2017 through Measure 96.**
- **Funded 71 new affordable homes for veterans in 2018.**

Civil Rights:

- Signed the motor voter bill, which automatically registers anyone with a state ID as a voter. This was the first bill Kate signed as governor, and the first law of its kind in the nation.
- Signed an **executive order banning state agencies from discrimination based on immigration status, and forbidding the creation of a registry of all Muslims**, after some in the Trump administration had floated the idea.
- Passed **trans-rights legislation to protect against discrimination in schools.**
- **Banned gay conversion therapy of minors.**
- **Created a system for constituents to report police profiling instances, and forced law enforcement agencies in the state to pass formal profiling bans.**

Kate Brown delivers for ALL Oregonians!