

**The Honorable Earl Blumenauer (D-OR)**

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**The Honorable Earl Blumenauer** has devoted his entire career to public service. He first served in the Oregon House of Representatives in 1972. From there, he went on to be a Multnomah County Commissioner and spent ten years on the Portland City Council as Commissioner of Public Works. His reforms and innovative accomplishments have helped his hometown of Portland, Ore. gain an international reputation as a livable community.

Representative Blumenauer has represented Oregon's Third Congressional District since 1996, continuing to promote livable communities at the federal level. He serves on the House Ways and Means Committee. He is a strong and creative voice both at home and abroad for the environment, sustainable development, and economic opportunity.

Representative Blumenauer was named a German Marshall Fellow in 1995 and has won numerous awards from environmental, education, community, and civic organizations, including *1999 Legislator of the Year* from the American Planning Association, the National Building Museum's *Apgar Award* in 2000, and the 2001 *National Bicycle Advocacy Award* from the League of American Bicyclists.

Representative Blumenauer received BA in Political Science and JD from Lewis & Clark College.