

## Key Congressional Democrat to Visit Portland

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Washington DC—Congresswoman Ellen Tauscher (D-Calif.) will visit Portland on Monday, April 19th. Tauscher is the Senior Bay Area member of the House Transportation and Infrastructure Committee and the House Armed Services Committee. She is visiting Portland at the invitation of Congressman Earl Blumenauer (D-Ore.) to learn about the region.

Tauscher and Blumenauer will begin the day at Oregon Health Sciences University (OHSU) where they will meet with OHSU officials and representatives from the Women's Health Center. She will also be briefed by developer Homer Williams on the North Macadam development plans. Tauscher will then join Blumenauer for a tour of the Pearl District, to witness positive developments resulting from the streetcar project and learn about streetcar expansion plans. In the afternoon, Tauscher will visit Mercy Corps' International Headquarters.

Congresswoman Tauscher is currently serving her fourth term representing California's 10th Congressional district, which includes San Francisco's suburbs in Contra Costa, Alameda and Solano Counties. Tauscher serves as National Vice Chair of the Democratic Leadership Council. Additionally, Tauscher has served on the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee and chaired the group's Democratic Business Forum.

Tauscher and Blumenauer's public schedule for Monday, April 19th is:

8:30 a.m.  
Baird Hall, Room 2018

OHSU Briefing

10:00 a.m.  
Begin at M Financial Group  
1125 NW Couch, Suite 900

Tour of Pearl District

2:30 p.m.  
3015 SW First Avenue

Visit to Mercy Corps International Headquarters