



Chair Beyer, Vice Chair Thomsen, and Members of the Senate Committee on Business and Transportation,

My name is Jolene Thomson, and I am here representing the Oregon RV Dealers Association. ORVDA represents independently owned RV dealerships and associated industries throughout Oregon.

We wish to lend our support to SB 753. RV technicians are highly trained professionals who are capable of competently performing work to a wide variety of Recreational Vehicles. Enforcing licensing requirements on electrical and plumbing systems would pass a heavy financial burden on to the consumer, and could be potentially devastating to communities in Oregon where the RV manufacturing industry employs many people.

Oregon long has been considered the RV Capital of the West for both its innovative manufacturing centers and its robust number of well-respected family-owned dealerships. We would like to continue to see Oregon as the preferred destination for RV enthusiasts, and that can be assured with your support.