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To: House Committee on Rules

From: Janice Thompson, Deputy Director-Oregon Citizens' Utility Board (CUB)

Re: Support for HB 2093 with -1 amendment

Addressing greenhouse gas emissions from the transmission sector is of significant and statewide importance. Electrification of this sector is a critically important strategy that is facilitated by increasing electric vehicle (EV) charging capacity at state-owned facilities by this strategic addition to Department of Administrative Services procurement options. This enhanced contracting option could be particularly helpful at state-owned premises in rural Oregon.

CUB urges a "yes" vote on HB 2093 with the -1 amendment.