

I am writing to support SB 574 as a motorcyclist for over 40 years. I rode & commuted in San Francisco & Los Angeles Ca. some of the worst traffic in the Country where lane sharing saved lives. Lane sharing is supported by the California Highway Patrol for this reason. I've been a member of the AMA which also supports lane sharing for safety reasons. The CA. CHP & DMV actually help educate motorcycle riders and automobile drivers on lane sharing. I recently moved to Oregon and wonder why such a progressive State doesn't allow lane sharing. People who ride, their family's, friends, employers will all benefit from lane sharing. The general public, hospitals & insurance company's will benefit from lane sharing by keeping motorcycle riders safe and out of the emergency rooms is the result of lane sharing. Please consider this and make the Oregon roads a safer place for everyone.

Thank-You

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