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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation

Measure: HB2137

I am writing to OPPOSE HB 2137. This bill starts with the assumption that a third bridge is needed across the Willamette River. That is a false assumption. There are alternatives to another bridge, which if built would be incredibly expensive and if would harm more land for the sole purpose of facilitating automobile traffic flow. Establishing a new taskforce overlooks our ongoing transportation planning process. HB 2137 would be an unnecessary source of redundancy desired only by a small minority of Oregon residents.