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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment

Measure: HB2571

My family and I live in the Montevilla neighborhood in Portland and am retired. I am writing to add my voice to others and urge your support of HB 2571.

Ebikes are a promising technology for helping to address many traffic-related issues Oregon communities face, from air pollution to traffic congestion and lack of parking spaces to climate damaging greenhouse gas emissions to limited transportation options for people without cars. I'm particularly interested in the proven potential of ebikes to reduce Vehicle Miles Traveled (VMT) of cars, but there are many other benefits to our overall communities if more people shift even just some of their driving to ebikes.

I urge your support for HB 2571. Thank you -

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