

February 16, 2023

Joint Committee on Transportation 900 Court Street NE Salem, OR 97301

RE: Support HB 3080

Dear Co-Chair McLain, Co-Chair Gorsek, and Members of the Joint Committee on Transportation,

Founded in 2012, Carvana is a Fortune 500 e-commerce platform that provides car shoppers alternatives to the traditional buying process. By providing shoppers with the option of purchasing a vehicle online from the comfort of their home, Carvana allows for a shopper to select, purchase, and have their vehicle delivered direct to their door.

We are writing today to express our support for HB 3080 and thank the Joint Transportation Committee for their consideration of the bill. HB 3080 improves the car buying process for Oregonians by making several needed updates and modernizations aimed at easing delays auto dealers are seeing industry wide.

HB 3080, with forthcoming amendments, would allow for an Electronic Lien and Title (ELT) program which improves data accuracy, reduces administrative burdens for processing and filing paper titles, and improves timeliness of data exchanges. It also updates the electronic record retention statute to reflect modern businesses practices and allows for the acceptance e-signatures. Lastly, it will allow a vehicle purchaser to obtain a clear title when a lien has not been discharged in a timely manner.

As auto dealers modernize and documents are increasingly being stored and transferred online, we believe these changes will cut down on consumer purchasing delays and administrative burdens. Carvana remains dedicated to the improvement and modernization of the car-buying process and looks forward to seeing HB 3080 enacted into legislation. Once again, we thank you for your consideration of this bill.

Sincerely,

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