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Hello, my name is Joe O'Hickey and I'm a motorcycle rider from Portland. I like to commute with my bike and sitting in traffic with the cars is super dangerous. When traffic is stopped motorcycles essentially become pedestrians. We should be allowed to use the space between cars to prevent being hit from behind. The proposed bill is almost exactly what I picture when I think of safe lane sharing. If passed this would make my commute safer and might encourage car drivers or people that don't commute on their bikes to start riding more, this would ease traffic and help with emissions because it's not just another engine sitting there idling. It also gets motorcycles out of harms way. Please say yes to lane sharing