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Measure: HB3382

From my understanding of this bill at the local and state level, our land use authority and consistency requirements over federal projects could be undermined. I also have deep concerns about how this will jeopardize on-going efforts to update Oregon's estuary management plans, with direct impacts to fragile estuarine ecosystems so important for wildlife, migratory birds, as well as Oregon's economically important fisheries. Oregonian "do not want our local mitigation requirements to be lost" for dumping contaminated dredging material into important habitats on islands along the Columbia River. HB 3382 is a terrible bill that needs to struck down.