## From the Desk of Senator Tim Knopp

## Support Trenton's Law House Bill 4103A

To: Oregon State Senators

Subject: Support House Bill 4103A, Trenton's Law

Oregon State Senate,

We, the undersigned, urge your support for House Bill 4103A - Trenton's Law.

Collectively, we encourage safety of our roadways for all users, and that means adapting to changing technology and modes of transportation. Most importantly, we share the desire for individuals – especially children – to make it home safe to their families.

Trenton's Law came before you because of the tragic and untimely loss of Trenton Burger. Like his family and loved ones, we strive to do all we can to prevent future tragedy. Trenton's Law is an important first step towards that goal and we hope to build upon House Bill 4103A in future legislation.

We encourage the safe use of electronic bicycles (e-bikes) and the barriers they alleviate when traveling to school, work, the grocery store, or simply to spend time with friends and family. E-bikes are efficient, support Oregon's environmental goals, and are convenient modes of transportation.

That is why we endeavor to make this mode of transportation as safe as possible for e-bike users and others who use our roadways. Education around new technology, information about how to navigate that technology, and a collective understanding of safe usership are paramount.

We urge your support of Trenton's Law, and every effort to prevent tragedy and increase *safe* transportation options for Oregon's youth.

Please vote Aye, for House Bill 4103A.









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