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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and Wildfire

Measure: SB1590

Hello,

I am reaching out to say that I fully support SB1590. The current rules for the Newberg Pool make zero sense and have kicked hundreds of boaters off of the Willamette River.

There is no empirical evidence or peer-reviewed study that links the current restrictions to having any positive effect on fish populations. Wake sports largely take place in the summer, outside of key migratory or spawning months. Studies show that wake boats waves, when operated at least 200 feet from shore, do not carry enough energy to have a significant impact on most shorelines.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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