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I'm writing this in Support of 3119. I am a small business owner, Fishing guide. I travel a lot and pull a heavy boat from my home in Albany to the Oregon coast and coastal rivers. I have owned a gas chevy pick up and pulled a much lighter boat. only getting 6 MPG pulling a load. without a load this truck got 8 MPG. Since 2018 I have own a Chevy Diesel pickup because diesel pulls heavy loads better using much less fuel. Empty with this vehicle can get 22 - 25 MPG. Pulling my 6000 pound boat I average 12-15 MPG.

The fuel economy of a diesel pulling a load being far superior of gas is reason enough to support this measure.