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To whom it may concern,

I appreciate the opportunity to testify in support of HB 3173 to establish funding for OregonFlora. Speaking as both a student, teacher and researcher, OregonFlora has been an incredibly useful and reliably accurate tool for continued study of Oregon's native plants. I appreciate having this resource specific to Oregon, rather than searching through reference material from Washington or California, that accurately documents the immense biodiversity found within our state. With HB 3173, this essential botanical resource and tool will continue to document specie information and educate others for many years to come.
Please support HB 3173.

Sincerely,
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