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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

Joint Committee On Transportation

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

HB3155

Dear Committee members, I ask that you please support this HB 3155.

I myself, my family and many friends all own a UTV's and are not legally allowed to operated them on the roads in our own community. Building a path for these to be legal on the road would start to simplify our patchwork of legal/not legal area's. In addition to helping us navigate our rural areas by way of safe road ways, it will also allow for visitors to our area to expand their exploration of the many great recreational opportunities Oregon has and end up generating more tourism revenue. Realistically there is no downside to this. Please don't prevent others from enjoying the opportunities to visit nature, bring tourism money to our rural communities that desperately need it, and at the same time free up our rural people to more easily and safely navigate the rural areas and communities we live work and play in.

Thank-you,

Mark Towns