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Committee: House Committee On Economic Development, Small  
Business, and Trade  
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Mt Ashland Ski Area is a non profit community supported ski area. I am currently the president of the Mt Ashland Association Board. We take very seriously our responsibility in providing a safe experience for our users. However we recognize that snow sports carry an inherent risk that the user must be aware of, and choose to participate. HB 3140 is very important to fairly define and balance the role of both the organization and the individual user of the activities we offer. Thank you for bringing HB 3140 to vote and hopefully passage as many other States have done. Outdoor recreation is a vital resource and economy of SW Oregon and through out the state. Without HB 3140, these opportunity can be at risk. Thank you Cheir Nguyen for supporting HB 3140. Mary Smelcer Board President Mt Ashland Association.