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Most of Oregon's water was allocated without any consideration of impacts on streamflow, rivers and fish. This situation has created a huge imbalance that is harmful to rivers, fish and wildlife across the state. If a water right holder wants to change their use, place of use, or diversion point through the transfer process it offers a good opportunity to address this imbalance and to make sure the transfer itself won't further harm precious and important state resources. I strongly support SB 427. A public interest review on transfers is long past due.

Thanks for your consideration,

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