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On Behalf Of:
Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and
Wildfire
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB427

Dear Senate Committee on Natural Resources and Wildfire,

Oregon's outdated water laws have long prioritized extraction over protection, and our rivers and fish have paid the price.

SB 427 would require the state to consider potential streamflow impacts as part of the existing process for reviewing proposed water right changes called "transfers". With this fix, old water rights can still be modified to meet new uses, and fish and other stream-lovers won't be left high and dry.

Please support SB 427,

Gordon Molitor