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On Behalf Of: Water Quality Protectionist

Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural

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Topic:

HB3501

Honorable Co-Chairs Helm and Owens, Representative Neron.

Please do not pass HB3501. As a 50+ year Oregon resident and avid outdoors person, I value the natural resources this beautiful state has to offer. The ability to provide input on water transfers is important as a resident to mitigate against actions that may damage stream and adjoining habitat qualities. Oregon has a history of encouraging public involvement as evidenced by State Land Use Planning Goal 1. Although not applicable to water transfers, it is indicative of the State's value of community input.

Thank you for your service to our state.

Respectfully,

Mike Dahlstrom