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The abundance of waterways in Oregon is one of the many things that make it an incredible place to live. These waterways are for the people to enjoy and play on. Whether you are fishing, swimming, kayaking, or boarding behind a boat, you deserve the freedom to use these waterways. The notion that 2-3 foot wake surfing waves are detrimental to the surrounding river environment, is laughable. The river is a dynamic and powerful force, and the act of the wakeboarding or wake surfing has little to no impact on its natural behavior. I'm in support of this measure because it returns the freedom to the people. This measure prevents the few who have strong opinions from holding back the many just looking to have fun.