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On Behalf Of:

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Hi there,

I'm writing to support funding for appropriating money to the Department of Transportation for distribution to the City of Portland for the purpose of designing a bridge across Columbia Boulevard. As someone raising a family in the St. Johns neighborhood, it's imperative that we invest in safety measures for future natural disasters (and the likely scenario of a large-scale earthquake) so that our neighborhood is able to access necessary help. Not passing this bill would be potential sacrificing lives and is an avoidable situation. Please fund this initial phase for designs and ensure our neighborhood has access to food, medical supplies, and repair vehicles when the earthquake hits.

Thanks,  
Thomas Neville