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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Energy and Environment

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3681

I support HB3681

The bill removes regulatory roadblocks and duplications in permitting power plants and transmission lines. Electricity demand is projected to increase by 30% in Oregon over the next decade, but we are not building new grid infrastructure fast enough to keep pace. Streamlining regulations will enable faster and simpler transmission planning.

Thank you.