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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation Reinvestment

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2025

Dear Co-Chairs McLain and Gorsek and Members of the Committee,

I'm writing in strong support of HB 2025 and the increased funding for the Statewide Transportation Improvement Fund (STIF). As a daily TriMet rider in Portland, I rely on public transit to get to work, run errands, meet up with friends, and support local businesses. My teenager also depends on it to get to school.

Transit is essential to our household. It helps us avoid the high cost of owning a car and reduces our environmental impact. If service were reduced or cut, we—and many others in our community—would face real challenges, including missed work, lost income, and fewer opportunities to participate fully in daily life.

While this package doesn't yet expand transit service the way I'd like to see, it's a necessary step to protect the access we have now and avoid harmful service cuts.

Please support HB 2025 and help keep Oregon moving.

Sincerely,
Cheyenne Terbrueggen