Submitter:	Kian Leiner
On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	Joint Committee On Transportation Reinvestment
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB2025

Dear Committee Members,

I write in support of the increased transit funding and the STIF program in HB 2025. Without this funding increase, public transit service across Oregon would be cut. Public transit service is very difficult to rebuild once lost, and provides a critical lifeline to our economy.

Having transportation options other than a car are important to me and several of my closest friends and family. Any loss of these options would result in losses of jobs and our economic strength. While I would like to see more increased funding, I believe the funding proposed in this package is sufficient to prevent significant transit and economic losses in our community.

Sincerely, Kian Leiner Eugene, OR