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I spent 30+ Years working in the Portland area on transportation plans including the bi-state transportation and trade Task Force in 1999-2001 and then again on the Columbia River Crossing project.

The concerns of health impacts and financial disparities prevented forward motion has repeated itself for decades.

The climate change plans are inadequate for the health and well-being of both our air and natural resources as well as the health of Oregonians all over the State.

Our decisions cannot be made for the Portland Metro area alone.

Transit options for all Oregonians, rural, elderly and people in sensitive populations that have not been addressed for a very long time.

It's truly time to stop biting ourselves in the butt.

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