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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1196

Dear Legislators,

I am writing to ask you to support senate bill 1196. This bill is vital so that Oregonians, especially our youth, can continue to have access to the amazing mountain recreation that makes our state so special. Mt Hood and it's resorts are a second home for my family. It is a very real possibility that insurers will deny liability coverage to the resorts or to youth ski programs on the mountain. Both of my children are ski racers and train at Ski Bowl, Timberline, and Mt Hood Meadows. We are lucky that these resorts are owned and run by local members of our community that care about access for individual ms and families. My oldest child was able to compete at the state championship in Mt Ashland this year as a freshman because of the unique place we live and have access to. Mt Ashland as well as all our small mountain resorts in Oregon are at risk. Please protect this vital and uniquely northwest resource by supporting senate bill 1196.

Thank you for your time and your service,

Jennifer Kelly Allen