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To whom it may concern,

I recently moved from Los Angeles to Oregon in part for its recreation, but with a long term goal to live and retire here. I couldn't immediately understand the price of Oregon ski resorts when compared to larger organizations that have access to so many more resorts around the world. But then I learned about the 2014 legislation that is creating increased cost and significant risk to Oregon's overall recreation scene, which is a part of the reason many people come or live here in the first place, that's also creating risk to the long-term financial viability of Oregon overall. Less recreation, or even at an affordable cost, will logically yield less people, less business, and less revenue to Oregon. Please apply some common sense that puts Oregon on the same plane as the rest of the country protecting not just recreation, but the state at large.

Thank you,
Jeffrey Wallace