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I am writing in support of SB 1593-A and in opposition to SB 1517-7. Many outdoor activities are intrinsically dangerous. Recreational liability waivers allow outdoor businesses and community organizations to obtain affordable insurance. SB 1517-7 has too many liability exceptions and fails to protect volunteer and stewardship activities. SB 1593-A will help businesses and volunteerism flourish by aligning Oregon's recreational liability waiver law with laws of other states.