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**Subject:** against SB 401+SB 838 comment

Hi there,I am Frank Serroni President of The Rogue Valley Coin Shooters metal detecting club in Grants Pass Oregon and a member of the Rogue Gem&Geology Club of Grants Pass,and we are over 100 strong and we are 100% against SB 838 and SB 401.We are very up-set that SB 838 is on 4-15 talk about NO time to form a attack.We belive this ban would hurt many 1000,s of folks that mine and spend there summers in Oregon looking for GOLD!!! Mining is a right with laws passed by congress,if SB 383 goes though the miners will sue and it could put the state of Oregon back into the stone age!!! I would like this to be part of the record against SB 838 and SB 401,

Thanx for taking your time to read this,

Frank Serroni