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Subject: SB 694A (Motorcycle lane Filtering)

Chair McKeown & Members of the House Committee on Transportation & Economic Development:

Please accept this testimony at your upcoming 5.15.15 hearing on SB694A. I <u>strongly support this bill</u> and urge the Committee to give it a positive report and pass it on the full House for consideration.

Passage of SB 694A will help improve vehicular flow in traffic jam situations and help reduce pollution on Oregon's highways. And, as solid data from the California DMV Study has shown, lane filtering is a safe practice.

Thank you for accepting my testimony.

Sincerely,

Chatham Olive

(66 year old Oregon resident with 35 years of motorcycle riding experience)