

Dear Senator Gomberg,

My husband , Brian Skallerud, and I operate his business Skallerud Marine Inc. in Charleston Oregon. We build and repair wooden and fiberglass boats, both commercial and private.

We recently received information regarding this bill and how it would impact us as a small business and many other small businesses alike.

Ports are a valuable asset to our operating our business, but, if they were made able to operate and compete with small businesses it would be catastrophic to the small boat construction businesses operating along the Oregon Coast.

We oppose this House Bill 2902 for these reasons. Please keep us and our families futures in mind and represent us as you took the oath to do.

Please feel free to contact us if you have any concerns. We would like to hear your opinion on this.

*Sincerely,*

Carrie and Brian Skallerud