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## Members of the Oregon State Senate's Committee on Environment and Natural Resources

I write urging your committee to reject HB2027 with its provision to block the building of a bridge across the Deschutes River south of Bend. The bridge would help our community realize an important link in the long dreamed of Tumalo to Sunriver riverside recreation trail. Supporting the bill means supporting the wishes of a few property owners over thousands of residents seeking a way to get outside close to home.

Thank you for your time

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