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Senate Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

I am in favor of the greater good regarding allowing a footbridge across the Deschutes River. Build the bridge.

I understand that nearby homeowners want to retain the beauty, solitude and value of their properties, but the public at large also has a right to access these scenic areas.

An important discussion of where the footbridge should be located relative to the area's native animals should continue. We can locate the footbridge a number of places. Animals can only forge the river in natural crossing areas.

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