

June 22, 2017

Re: HB 2017

Dear Chairs Beyer and McKeown and Members of the Committee,

We, the members of Oregon and SW Washington Families for Safe Streets, continue to grieve the injury and loss of our loved ones and other Oregonians on the state's most dangerous roads.

We are writing to urge you to pass a robust Transportation Safety Package that includes completing safety improvements on Outer Powell Blvd. From 99th to 174th, this road lacks some of the most basic amenities, such as consistent sidewalks and sufficient lighting. The residents of East Multnomah County deserve more. We feel that significant improvements to this roadway will save lives, and we demand that these improvements are properly funded.

We urge you to ensure that funding be made available to make this road suitable for all of its users.

Signed,

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Representing Oregon and SW Washington Families for Safe Streets