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To: HTP Exhibits

Subject: Please support Vision Zero Task Force (HB 2667)

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Dear Chair Rep. Caddy McKeown and members of the House Committee on Transportation Policy,

Who do you know who has lost their life on Oregon's roads? Is there a legislator who doesn't know someone who has died while driving, walking, or bicycling in Oregon.

A primary role of government is to protect the rights of its citizens. The right to live without the threat of injury or death is the most fundamental of rights. Yet hundreds of people needlessly die every year on Oregon roads.

Other countries have developed policies that have successfully prevented roadway injury and death (known as "Vision Zero"). We can adapt these practices and make them work in Oregon.

Please support HB 2667 to create a Task Force on Vision Zero: Achieving Zero Traffic Crashes, Injuries and Fatalities

Protecting the lives of your constituents should be of highest priority.

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