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House Committee on Transportation Policy Members

My name is A. Matthew Atiyeh and I live in Marion County near Salem. I'm writing in regards to the hearing debate on 2/22/17 for HB 2109.

This bill will make it illegal to sell the 100LL gasoline that general aviation pilots like myself must have to operate our aircraft. At the present time there is no substitute for this product and the ban on it will ground the majority of the aircraft in the state including some aircraft owned by the State of Oregon.

This will have a much broader effect than just grounding general aviation aircraft. There are many airport businesses including aircraft repair facilities, fuel providers, restaurants, skydiving, agricultural, avionics shops, flight schools, etc. that will be drastically hurt economically from this law.

In addition to the economic factors this will also reduce search and rescue operations that rely on GA aircraft.

I respectfully ask that you take these concerns in consideration when debating this bill.

Thank you for your time, A. Matthew Atiyeh