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To: HAGNR Exhibits
Subject: HB 4029

To Whom it may concern,

I am writing to you in support of bill HB 4029. As someone who frequently uses our wonderful wild areas and specifically the Deschutes River for fishing and camping I highly agree that our scenic waterway deserve protections. These waterways support unique ecosystems and wildlife and their protection is also extremely important.

I also support the idea of connecting trails. Thought, I think this particular bridge proposal needs more thought. Placing a bridge in the proposed location would require weakening protections for Oregon rivers. This is not acceptable.

We can all work together by finding an alternative route that would serve both parties concerned as well as supporting our wild spaces.

Please vote in support of protections and balance for sustainable recreation!!!!

Thank you,

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