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Dear Committee Staff,

The spirit of the Upper Deschutes Wild and Scenic River and State Scenic Waterway Comprehensive Management Plan dated July 1996 had a purpose of establishing management direction for a decade. The primary emphasis was on the protection of aesthetic, scenic, fish and wildlife, scientific, and recreational features.

One of the mechanisms of implementation was having partnerships with the public. Over the past 20 years, the public has shared an interest in preserving the scenic waterway and providing access to enjoy the natural setting, while private ownership of land along the targeted corridor has been developed.

The conscientious planning and placement of a footbridge across the Deschutes River has been supported by over 70 percent of public input and is in a location that does not deter from the primary emphasis of the comprehensive management plan.

Therefore, I would like you to please oppose HB4029.

Respectfully,

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