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Subject: Please support HB 4029

I am writing in support of HB 4029 and protection of the Deschutes state scenic waterway.

As you know, a municipal agency in Bend has proposed connecting trails between Tumalo and Sunriver by building a bridge over a stretch of the Deschutes River, where bridges have been explicitly prohibited for more than thirty years. While I agree with the goal of creating sustainable access to outdoor places, this is the wrong location for a bridge.

Please balance recreation with adherence to Oregon's State Scenic Waterway Act, by finding an alternative route that doesn't require weakening river protections. Oregon should stand firm, and proudly protect our rivers and public lands.

Thank you for your consideration.

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