

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my continued concern and frustration with over-regulating and micro managing one *very short, specific* segment of a public waterway relative to 1000's of miles of waterway that the state has a responsibility to manage. **I am in opposition to HB 2351**

I find the people submitting these bills to be poor stewards of the public's tax \$'s, spending countless hours on micro managing this 17-18 mile strip of waterway trying to "bully" their personal agenda. As with previous experience in this segment of the upper Willamette; it's clear that over regulating activities in this section of public waterway has resulted in unintended consequences which is why we're where we are today. I live on the river, specifically within the Newberg Pool and enjoy boating responsibly with my family. Please, consider the proposal that I believe has already been submitted to the OSMB. My understanding was that an agreement had been tabled in regard to a compromise on both sides of the table to resolve this concern and move forward. Why are we still talking about this?

Best Regards,

Randy Harris