

Representatives,

My name is Greg Waters. I am an avid boater on the Wilamette River and have been since I moved here in 1996. I purchased a house 5 doors down from the Boonesferry Marina and I rent a slip at the Marina. We were waiting a long time for something in that area to become available because of how much time we spend on the river. I grew up living on the water and it's the environment I want my daughter to grow up in.

This Bill would heavily effect my families activities.

This would effect all my neighbors across the street that bought property on the water, they don't just sit and look at the river they are on their docks and on their boats every chance they can, during our very very short season.

The amount of time this river is used throughout the year is very minimal. I take Wednesday's off because there is hardly anyone using the river even on the hottest days.

This bill would also have a major impact on how I provide income for my family.

I sell the boats that this bill is trying to shut down, just the talk of this bill has already impacted my sales. Not only does it effect my families income but it would also impact my 20+ Co Workers and their families income along with all the businesses and manufactures that we do business with.

"I am a very STRONG NO on HB 2351"

-Greg Waters

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