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I respectfully request your support of HB2314. I am a frequent motorcyclist in Portland Oregon and it would be so beneficial to pass the lane splitting bill. My biggest thought is that Portland is getting more and more crammed and this gives people incentive to ride or buy a bike so they can bypass the insane traffic by legally being allowed to split the lanes. I have had multiple conversations with police officers that said that if they saw me lane splitting at a respectful speed and being safe they wouldn't have a problem with it. Lastly Portland motorists are so trained on being hyper aware of bicyclists that that would translate to being aware of motorcyclists on the highway. I could list many more reasons on why this would make a motorcyclists trip safer and more beneficial but I will just say please consider voting yes to pass this bill. Thank you so much for the time and just being willing to have the conversation.

-Shane Fullen