

**From:** [John Patterson](#)  
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Dear Members of the House Water Committee,

I am writing today to urge the passing of HB 4069. As a user of a well for domestic needs and as an avid fisherman, I have long been concerned about the supply and demand of Oregon. Water. I have, also, been concerned about the over allocation of water, especially old water laws that have given more water away than the available water. I think it is essential that water use be measured and reported. Without knowledge of the resource, how can it be properly managed? I think passage of this bill would be a good first step.

Please vote for HB 4069

Sincerely,

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