

I'm supporting the HB2725

I just recently found out about a study by Clackamas County last year that said that the economy in Wilsonville could be boosted if they were to set up a kayak trail from Champoeg Park to Milwaukie. This would involve constructing better access areas for Kayaks in Wilsonville.

That makes sense to me. Lots of people would have lunch or buy some supplies for the trip in Wilsonville.

But then I got to thinking about the all the wakeboats that use this area. I have Kayaked in this area and it is not fun due to the big wakes.

The saying, "build it, and they will come" won't apply here. Wilsonville could build the Kayak trail as recommended by the study, but, they won't come due to the heavy traffic of wake boats ruining the experience.

HB2725 will open up the river to a more diverse set of users that are now, due to their bad experiences, being discouraged from using the river