

The supporters of HB 2725 and HB 2555 have anecdotal evidence, AT BEST... Supporters use their bias opinions and eyeballs to think they are scientists.. They have created a hypothesis, not a theory. "Science" is not on their side. You can't use studies done else where on the Willamette River... There needs to be extensive studies HERE that take into account ALL types of boats, mother nature, human error on shorelines, and so many other actions that can possibly have an effect on the willamette... The 4,000 lb weight limit is hugely discriminatory towards wake boats and with the state of the world we live in now, why is there a possibility of heading in that direction. The public hearing yesterday was insanity... The amount of time the first few supporters were given to show "evidence" was completely unfair. When it was time for our voice to be heard we were given the most strict single minute of time. That's because you know there is more opposing these bills than supporting them. Her name eludes me, but a woman last night was given over 20 minutes to show slides and talk about her bias OBSERVATIONS. Which were not backed by any real evidence or knowledge. To single out wake boats is discrimination and inhuman!!! There are no wake boats in the last decade that are under 4,000lbs and that is singling out wake boats. We need justice for all..