Our family look forward to the boating season every year. My children's lives are enriched with their family values, as well as athleticism that are instilled with countless hours and days on the water. In addition they learn to appreciate and respect our natural resources. The boating community supports each others businesses locally and help to raise each other's families with the same values of respect and community. To take away these boating rights on the Willamette will only open the door to take them away elsewhere. It is wrong and completely unsubstantiated.