

I performed a powerpoint on lane sharing and the ability to perform this task at a safe speed. The bill has proven to prevent traffic pileups and prevention of crushing motorcyclists in the heavy traffic. Obviously, lane sharing is not safe at excessive speeds and motorcyclists who perform high speed changes deserve tickets nothing different from a reckless motor vehicle driver. Many bikes are air cooled and overheat in warm Summer temperatures if not moving this presents a danger because in big cities such as Portland bikers may turn off the bike to cool and restart the bike delaying traffic movement. The key to success with this program was educating motor vehicle drivers to look before changing lanes while educating the motorcyclists on the intended safe speeds to maintain traffic flow during peak hours. The final benefit is more riders decrease exhaust emissions which is a pollutant. I have been this person while driving through Portland.