

Please vote YES on SB574. I am an Oregon motorcyclist, I have been riding for years, and one big thing as I see social media content from other riders around the world is that almost everywhere else but America they have lane splitting or filtering to enhance the safety of motorcyclists. When I am riding in traffic, which is pretty much every day all year round now, I am always anxious because of how close trucks and cars get to the back of my motorcycle when we slow down, in fact I have personally been rear ended on my motorcycle by a car who was a young woman texting while driving so I know the pain of a 4000 pound car hitting you on a 400 to 500 pound motorcycle. I got extremely lucky and did not become another fatality statistic. I strongly believe that motorcyclists should be allowed to filter to reduce their risk of death or serious injury while stopped in traffic.