

Please support SB574. As someone who lives on a border city with Oregon and work in Portland, I can attest to the fact that commuting from Portland back to Vancouver during Rush Hour has gotten worse and worse over the years. With this bill, I would safely be able to operate my motorcycle on the highways and filter through traffic, where necessary, to be able to keep myself safe and ease congestion on the highways.

Remember, just because we don't have a lot of motorcycle riders right now does not mean we won't have more in the future if this passes. Motorcycles, and by extensions mopeds, are a much cleaner mode of transportation, as they use much less fuel to get where you're going, as well as producing much less emissions, due to a smaller engine. This would pair well with the lower emissions output that would occur when you allow Lane Filtering. The less idling vehicles we have on our roads means a cleaner environment for everyone!