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On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	Senate Committee On Energy and Environment
Measure:	SB1589

As the author of "Saving the Willamette, " A History of Oregon's Heartland River," I strongly support SB 1589. Since the 1850s impediments to our great river's natural flow, and cleanliness have been catastrophic due to legislatures unwillingness to take action. Now you have the opportunity to do something for our fish and riparian zones. Please support this bill. Maybe someday we can have a river somewhat similar to the great Willamette before 1850.