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I am a home owner and a member of Willamette Riverkeeper. We moved to West Linn in October of last year, and we bought a home across from the Tualatin River, and just above where the Tualatin meets the Willamette River. The beauty of the rivers was one of the main factors in choosing where to buy our new home. We look forward to buying a canoe and kayak and spending a great deal of time on the river when weather permits. It is discouraging to learn about the big boats on the river and the artificial waves they produce. I found the video taken by Bert Krages, posted on the Willamette Riverkeeper website, compelling and disturbing. We must stop wealthy people from ruining the river for the rest of us -- and from ruining the natural ecosystem of the river.

Please support SB1589.

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