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I support decreasing the weight because it will reduce the size of artificial waves on the Willamette. Wake Boats or similarly heavy craft produce waves with larger size and energy, which makes them detrimental to river habitat, other river users, and private property. It is not fair that the few privileged individuals who can operate this craft can negatively impact the river for everyone else. Please pass legislation to protect the Willamette river.