

Hello,

I'm writing as a Portland resident for ten years who has never owned a car.

I have relied on a bicycle and the transit system my entire life. I am very concerned about climate change and wish to see an electric bus fleet and an electric ferry system in Portland— I haven't been able to attend events in Vancouver, WA because it would take more than an hour for me to get there either by a combination of bicycle, bus or max. I would use the ferry to visit the new waterfront in Vancouver, and down to Oregon City in a safe and reliable way. It would be a fun way to explore and see the city in a different way. I think Frog Ferry is a thorough plan to bring more people to river, and could provide a zero-emissions method for transporting goods in combination with the e-cargo bike delivery company, B-Line. No more freeways- we need strategies that get people into the streets and out on the water!

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