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I've been a rider for more than 40 years and worked in rider education for 15 years. I've seen the ability to lane share create a safety corridor for motorcyclists, help ease congestion. Rider safety is also helped by allowing riders to keep moving in extreme heat. Imagine being stopped on the freeway in 100 degree temp when you could keep moving if the law allowed.

If a rider should abuse the privilege of lane sharing there are numerous laws that would apply. Speeding, unsafe lane change, wrecless endangerment etc. granting the ability to lane share does not give riders excuse for unsafe riding. Please support this bill