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On Behalf Of:
Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation
Measure: HB3202

To Oregon Lawmakers:

This is an extremely important issue to me and to most Oregonians. I am asking you to please thoughtfully and seriously consider the implications of the excessive light in our night skies that has been increasing annually for many years. There are many ways for us to limit this intrusive light pollution.

Please support House Bill 3202, which can help curtail the damage done by light pollution to wildlife as well as human health.

This is not a new concept, and in fact other states (and other countries) have already implemented such measures. Nocturnal animals are dependent upon uninterrupted nighttime hours, and behavioral changes stemming from over-illumination can have effects on humans' ecosystem as well.

It's easier to protect our night skies while they're still here than to try to repair them after they are gone. We can make a difference now. Please take the time to consider what an important issue this is to us now and for the future.

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