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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation

Measure: HB2098

I of course support replacing the unsafe existing bridge, but oppose HB 2098 amendment -2. We instead need a right-sized Bridge Replacement. I support the -3 amendment (and the policy recommendations offered by the Just Crossing Alliance) that ensures this replacement bridge project moves forward smoothly with a right-sized design, explicit pro-labor provisions, financial guardrails, and major investments in mass transit. We do not get chances to make such a major impact to our future for good or for ill, let's please make this a decision we can all be proud of as we face the climate and livability crises.