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On Behalf our children who have to wait for a bus

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Rural Oregon children waiting to catch their school bus ride, have to stand out along the road in the dark morning hours and often even arrive home from school in darkness due to distances they have to travel. to and from their school. This exposes them to extreme danger on today's narrow and heavily traveled roads, especially considering that far too many folks do not obey the posted speed limits. City kids, are subject to kidnapping or other nefarious acts due to the dark hours being unprotected. The value of daylight savings time to provide a longer day for commercial agricultural labor, no longer has the need as it did during war time or before electric lighting on agricultural equipment. Lets set the time at Standard Time year round and be done with constantly changing clocks! Please! Thank you!