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On Behalf Of:

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Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2163

I am writing on behalf of Adventures Without Limits, a Forest Grove based nonprofit organization with a 30 year history of facilitating programs designed to increase access to the outdoors for people with disabilities. We support HB 2163 in broadening the definition of a qualified documented disability, for the purpose of qualifying for wildlife laws with regard to angling and harvesting shellfish. We believe that a person with a documented intellectual or developmental disability certainly qualifies as a person with a disability, and would benefit from inclusion in existing legislature designed to promote access to fishing and shellfishing in Oregon.