

Submitter: Maeve Fox
On Behalf Of:
Committee: Joint Committee On Transportation
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3362

Dear Co-Chairs Gorsek and McLain and members of the Joint Committee on Transportation,

My name is Maeve Fox. I currently live in the Portland metro area, and I have experienced first hand since moving here 8 years ago the positive effects of public transport of all sorts. As a result, I am voicing my support for House Bill 3362.

More support for public transit solutions stand to benefit everyone, not just regular Amtrak riders. Keeping more cars off the roads makes traffic flow better, has a positive effect on the environment, and can even help save the city and taxpayers money by reducing construction costs on costly freeway expansions and repairs. Ridership continues to rise, and support for improved and expanded service is popular throughout the state. I've attended public meetings concerning transit and seen it myself, from many people from all walks of life.

I strongly urge you to vote YES on HB3362, and thank you for your time and efforts,

Maeve Fox