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Thank you for bringing forward HB3626. I am a strong supporter of e-bikes even though I don't ride one. With clear and enforceable rules, this bill will help protect riders and improve street safety for everyone. Strong helmet laws and responsible age limits will ensure that young riders are operating safely.

ODOT can help educate Oregonians about best practices and improve road safety statewide. Law enforcement should focus on the real safety threats: stopping motorcycles, mopeds, and illegally modified high-speed vehicles from misusing bike lanes and shared pathways.