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I'm writing to support HB 3626 because allowing our children to operate class 1 and 2 e-bikes, scooters, and other assisted modes of transportation will increase their ability to travel to/from school, sports, clubs, etc. and reduce parents' reliability on cars. This is good for our communities because it will not only help to reduce traffic and vehicle emissions, but also allows children the freedom and responsibility to travel on their own, especially in cities like Bend where there are steep hills and uneven terrain. I strongly support giving our children more freedom to use today's and future micromobility technologies.