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On Behalf Of:

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My name is Shane, founder of Revive Cycles, a small nonprofit in Portland that converts regular bikes into electric bikes for people who can't afford a car but still need reliable transportation. This work is personal to me — I've seen how life-changing mobility access can be.

I'm asking you to ensure the Transportation Package includes funding for e-bike access, safe infrastructure, and community-led mobility programs. This bill raises billions through taxes and fees — it should serve everyone, not just car owners.

E-bikes are already changing lives in Oregon. I've helped dozens of people who rely on their bike as their main vehicle. But with no support in this bill for micromobility, we're missing a huge climate, equity, and affordability opportunity.

Please fund:

E-bike rebates or incentives, especially for low-income Oregonians

Bike lane improvements and street safety

Grants for local organizations like Revive doing this work

We're solving real problems on the ground. Oregon should invest in solutions that reduce car dependence, support working people, and move us toward a cleaner, fairer transportation future — not leave us behind.