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My husband and I are active recreationalists in our beautiful state of Oregon and are very concerned that liability issues will adversely impact our lifestyle. Lack of enforcement of waivers negatively affects the culture of Oregon, increases costs, limits our access to recreational areas, and potentially the affordability.

Oregon needs to have balanced liability policies and waivers are a very normal and widely utilized practice across many areas of life and legislation does not need to overcomplicate it. We would support the state to conduct an economic study and provide a means for Oregon residence to provide input through surveys, etc.