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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4134

Dear Senate Committee on Finance and Revenue,

Please accept this written testimony regarding HB 4134. As a hunter and angler in Oregon, I am proud of what has been accomplished in our state with funds from license and ammunition sales. That said, I see this bill as a positive opportunity to help all sorts of people share that load. Many thousands of tourists visit Oregon each year, in no small part because of what our landscapes have to offer. Let them contribute to the conservation and stewardship of the places they come to visit! Realistically, for most people who have the means to travel, this will not make or break their decision to take a trip or book a hotel. And yet it will provide a clear, reliable funding source for a variety of very necessary programs. I urge the Committee to pass HB 4134.