

Submitter: Gertrude Abbas

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4134

My name is Trudy I live in bend Oregon and am writing to you today to strongly urge you to vote in support of bill HB 4134 with the -1 amendment to increase the state lodging tax by 1.25% and help recover Oregon's most vulnerable fish, wildlife, and habitats. No matter where you live nature is an essential part in the history and ecosystem of the land as well as the economy in the area. As some who works in the outdoor industry my income relays on the preservation of our land. Passing this bill would not only help Oregon but promote preservation of land in other states and help with maintaining healthy ecosystems everywhere. Thank you.