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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Rules

Measure: HB3414

TO HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE consideration of House Bill 3414.

I am opposed to this bill in its current state.

Oregon is one of the grandest states in the US because of its geographic beauty. In this bill you have included exceptions for statewide goal-related natural resources, Willamette River Greenway, and coastal zone protections. Thank you for this. Beauty that cannot be replaced.

But another beauty is human achievements of architecture (homes, buildings, structures, created by the citizens of this beautiful state). We are a young state compared to the eastern US. We have fewer examples of the type.

Please exclude historic resource protections from the scope of HB 3414.

Once they are gone an important part of our creative human history is gone.