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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Housing and Homelessness

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4113

Chair Marsh, Vice-Chairs Breese Iverson and Andersen, and Committee members:

I am writing today to ask you to oppose HB 4113.

As an Oregonian, I value the land use principles that help keep our state healthy environmentally and economically. Upholding our land use system is key to both.

This bill would benefit one private stakeholder at the expense of our land use system. With so many other important priorities in front of you, I hope you will quickly reject HB 4113.

The area of the Metolius River is a superb example of how a federal agency (USFS) and other supporting organizations have maintained a beautiful and mostly natural forested environment. IT NEEDS TO STAY THAT WAY! Everytime a relative of ours visits us from other parts of the country, we take time to show them or camp out in the basin.

Sincerely,
Bob Walker