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Senator Jackie Dingfelder
Senate Environment and Natural Resources Committee
Oregon Capitol, Salem

RE: SB 1060-1

Dear Senator Dingfelder and Committee Members,

Tualatin Riverkeepers urges your support for SB 1060-1 regarding access to Oregon's rivers.

For more than a decade, paddling and fishing groups have biennially activated their members to stop legislation that limits access to Oregon's rivers. While we will miss the biennial activism with our allies, passage of SB 1060-1 will protect river user's rights while providing mechanisms to protect public health and safety, environmental resources and private property.

This bill is a good compromise that provides a win-win situation for river users and property owners.

We urge you to pass SB 1060-1.

Sincerely,

Brian Wegener
Watershed Watch Coordinator

P.S. - Please join us on one of our paddling trips this summer on the Tualatin River.