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To Whom It May Concern,

I am an Oregon taxpayer and avid fly fisherman. The riparian habitat in Western Oregon is of great importance to me from an aesthetic, biological, and recreational point of view.

A proposal that you are currently considering is detrimental to water quality and biological diversity in the riparian corridors.

I urge you to maintain the highest protection of aquatic conditions, as described in the current Northwest Forest Plan on BLM lands.

Please keep me informed of your decision.

Sincerely,

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Kirston Koths, Ph.D.