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Legislation to prevent building a foot bridge across the Deschutes River on the south end of Bend is a travesty. A footbridge in this location will not adversely affect the wildness of the river, nor wildlife in the corridor. It will reduce traffic on the roads because people will be able to walk instead of drive to existing trails. It may actually reduce the number of people and dogs along the river trail in Bend as it distributes people over a large network of existing trails.

The idea of disguising a plan to benefit a few homeowners along the river who consider themselves rather exclusive as a bill to benefit the environment is ludicrous. You should be ashamed of yourselves for promoting it.

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