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- Oregonians should not be faced with extensive legal fees to defend their land and homes, when monopoly utilities have endless resources (often paid by rate-payers).
- Decisions must consider the economic burdens that will be forced on unwilling and (in many cases) unknowing persons.
- There is no valid reason to abandon or override existing regulations governing eminent domain. If so, this decision belongs in the legislature -- not in an agency's rulemaking authority!

Sincerely,
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