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It is important for government (you) to think beyond the next election and move forward with the project. Government (you) has an obligation to provide and maintain adequate infrastructure to insure that commerce is free-flowing. The current bridge restricts commerce, adds to pollution (Think of how much exhaust is generated by all the idling trucks and cars waiting to cross the span.), wastes fuel adds substantially to the cost of doing business on both the WA and OR sides.

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It is important that a project, such as CRC, provide ample opportunity for input from a diverse constituency of stakeholders and jurisdictions, and that it follow a process that complies with all federal, state and local legal requirements. The project sponsors intent is to progress at a deliberate pace to ensure that we meet public interests, meet the transportation needs, address the quality of local communities and the environment, and be financially and fiscally responsible. Following publication of the FEIS, there will be a record of decision. If that decision is to move forward with one of the build alternatives, then the sponsors will progress into final engineering, finance plan implementation, and then construction.