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Please get involved immediately with the decisions being made about the new IBR project.

It reads like they are going down the same path as ten years ago. BUILDING A BRIDGE THAT IS TOO SHORT TO ACCOMMODATE RIVER TRAFFIC.

They are planning on paying off several businesses 50M+ dollars because their finished product will not fit under the bridge after they build it. Insane!

Thompson Metal Fab's CEO John Rudi says "Our needs for navigation clearance have not changed since the original survey by CRC!"

I'm speechless and shocked with the process going on. They haven't even designed the new bridge but are saying it will cost too much to build a bridge, a proper bridge, it will cost too much.

A frustrated Oregonian.

Warmly,

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