

Hi, I wanted to voice my opinion to support banning of coyote hunting contests in Oregon. I feel this is an inhumane practice of killing as many coyotes as possible, and promotes the attitude of no respect for life. Also it does not work as a management tool to control coyotes, because coyote populations actually increase if you cull them and creates unstable transient coyotes. Hunters will still be able to hunt coyotes if they want, and ranchers/farmers can still kill problem coyotes on their land.

Thank you, Ann Woltjen

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