

Dear Madames and Sirs of the House Natural Resource Committee,

I am writing to you about my grave concerns regarding the Coyote Hunting Contests in the state of Oregon.

Coyote-killing contests do not serve a significant wildlife management function, they are unethical, they reinforce a general contempt for wildlife, they are repellent to most Oregonians.

Our world needs wildlife to ensure biodiversity is protected for it is essential for a healthy and functional ecosystem. If wildlife is eliminated from its natural habitat, the delicate balance of the ecosystem will be disturbed.

The killing contests teaches our children that it's ok to kill wildlife and they lose empathy for our natural world.

Would it not be better to teach our children to live in harmony with wildlife and furthermore teach other the importance and need for the balance in nature.

Please support Support HB 4075 and stop this blood thirsty massacre. This isn't a sport.

Thank you.

Respectfully,
Judith Boroniec