I would like to think that we, as humans, have evolved a little bit more since the times of migrating across the American continent. My family came to Central Oregon in 1885 and has been in the farming and ranching industry ever since. This style of killing coyotes and other predators for sport saddens me greatly, and I find it hard to believe that any agency could organize, conduct, support, or allow such activities to take place. Please, let's put this style of "fun" behind us and think more about education, sustainable agriculture, and balanced ecosystems. I support the elimination and prohibiting any person from conducting or participating in contests, competitions, or tournaments that include taking of coyotes for any reason.

Regards, Todd Weigand