

SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

Department of Fish and Wildlife Rogue River Basin Habitat Restoration

To: Ways and Means Full Committee
From: Natural Resources Subcommittee
Carrier: Representative Holvey

On April 3rd, the Natural Resources Subcommittee recommended approval of the submission of a federal grant application from the Department of Fish and Wildlife to the Bureau of Land Management, Fisheries and Aquatic Resource Management grant program, in the amount of \$152,000 for habitat restoration in the Rogue River Basin.

The Department would use this federal funding to restore riparian areas and reduce upland wildfire fuel within the Denman Wildlife Area, in the Rogue River Basin. This includes removing invasive vegetation and replanting native species. There is no state match requirement and the Department would not need additional staff to deliver the grant.

The Natural Resources Subcommittee recommends approval.