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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Rules

Measure: HJR5

I am very much in favor of the passing of HJR 5 and providing constitutional protections for Oregonians hunting and fishing rights. I am a life long Oregonian and have been hunting and fishing since I was a young man. I've raised 4 grown children who all hunt and fish now continuing the traditions of putting wild food on the tables of their families. Self-reliant sourcing of wild foods is an integral part of Oregon's heritage. There have been 23 other states that have passed similar protections and I would hope that HJR 5 will also pass. We've only to look at the organized assaults on our historic hunting rights to know that this freedom is under siege. Please ensure that current and future generations of Oregonians have the ability to fish, hunt, and harvest.

Thank you,

Concerned Oregonian