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On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Rules
Measure: HJR5

To the Members of the House Committee on Rules,

I write to you to express support for HJR 5.

The right to fish, harvest and hunt in Oregon should be enshrined in the state constitution to ensure that future generations of Oregonians are able to feed themselves with the fish, flora and fauna of our state. My family feeds itself with dungeness crab, razor clams, morel and chanterelle mushrooms, chinook salmon, miners lettuce, roosevelt elk, fiddlehead ferns, and waterfowl. I don't know what we would do if this weren't possible.

Not only does this provide us with healthy and lean meat with a low carbon impact, but it reminds us in the most profound way of our deep connection to nature and to a healthy environment.

Thank you for your time and your consideration.

Respectfully,
Nathan Koenigsknecht