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On Behalf
Of:

Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and
Water

Measure: HB4148

Dear House Committee members,

I appreciate Representative Helm for introducing HB 4148 Wildlife Bill and as an Oregonian I wish to submit my support for it. With the ever increasing pressures due to disease, habitat loss, wildfires, human-wildlife conflict, changing environment and environmental determinants, our wildlife and marine life need this lifeline.

The win is also for us humans in avoiding zoonotic diseases, wildlife conflict, financial loss and furthering public education. This bill would help our Department of Fish and Wildlife better meet their mandate to "protect and enhance" by providing biologists, grants for rehabilitation centers and more.

I emphatically ask you to please push HB 4148 forward and to continue to support it across the final Yes vote!

Thank you
Nancy Weil