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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2980

Dear House Committee on Climate, Energy and Environment

I strongly support HB 2980 to develop a Wildlife Stewardship Program by the Department of Natural Resources.

As the population of Oregon continues to grow, and both citizens and tourists enjoy recreation in the wild lands of our state, there will be increasing interactions between people and wildlife. Such interactions need to be managed by education and evidence-based approaches that protect both wildlife and people.

I urge you to support HB 2980 to provide necessary resources for such efforts.

Sincerely

Evelyn Sherr