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Committee:	House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB2980

I am writing in strong support of HB 2980 and urge the Oregon Legislature to approve this bill to support our wildlife conservation and rehabilitation organizations in Central Oregon and beyond. As it has been introduced, this bill will support several organizations who are on the front line of rescue, rehabilitation and release operations and it will help standardize approaches to human-wildlife interactions, which have become increasingly frequent in recent years. HB 2980 is extremely important to continue these vital rehabilitation, coexistence and conservation programs in our beautiful state of Oregon.