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I have seen more cougar kills in the past 5 years than I have seen in the last 15. The cougar numbers are out of control all around my area there's livestock and pets are being killed by these predators from people homes that have been there for 40 years. Those kind of homes aren't encroaching on their territory, they are being pushed to those homes because of the amount of cougars. We need to take action before something happens to a person and before our deer and elk population is destroyed to the point of no return.