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As a licensed outdoorsman in Oregon I 100% support this bill. For far to long our predator management in the state of Oregon has been mismanaged. ODF&W cannot keep our cougar population in check by themselves and also have not been able to remove enough cougars in most target areas. The best weapon ODF&W has are the licensed hunter and trappers in the state of Oregon and the use of dogs. Us as taxpayers are paying for professional hunters who still cannot remove enough cougars the in target areas. I fully support this bill and hopefully every county in the state will allow the use of dogs to pursue cougars. Thank you