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Wildfire

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SB769

To be heard 2/11/2025

Support SB 769—Local Cougar Management with ODFW Oversight.

Oregon's outdoor community has my support for SB 769!

This proposed Senate bill will allow the counties at a local level to allow cougar hunting with the aid of hounds! Hound hunting was outlawed for cougars and bears in 1994 state wide in Oregon through Measure 18 of 1994.

On Tuesday 2-11-25, a public hearing will be held for this Bill at 1pm at the state capitol building in Oregon hearing room D.

I'm submitting my support electricronically via email to this public hearing, because I cannot physically go and support the bill.

Please add to the record I have submitted a written testimony in support of SB 769.