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Being a life long resident of this state I have seen different effects on our game animals. When kitzaber pushed through the original ban, I payed attention without emotion and there has been a direct impact not mitigating cougar population. Anyone who spends time out of the voter block valley knows this. What impact do cougars have: look at the research from just ONE mountain Lyon collard and followed in the Santa Ana Pueblo mountain range from around 2019. Again th in is was just one cat. (68 animals 17 of which were elk) in a 15 month span. Then conclude management is not necessary!!