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In my 13 years living in rural Lane County, 10 miles past the town of Marcola, I lost several goats, sheep and cats due to cougar overpopulation. Shortly before I moved to Elmira I had a cougar less than 50ft from my front door and my only option was to yell in an effort to scare it away so I could safely get to my house. I am in support of returning dogs for cougar hunting.