Dear Senator Jeff Merkley and Senator Ron Wyden,

As an Oregonian, I strongly urge you to oppose SB 769. This bill would overturn the will of the voters, who have already shown where they stand on this issue—**twice**. Oregonians are opposed to the hunting of cougars with hounds and want to keep their protections in place.

This practice is inhumane and abhorrent. Cougars have killed dogs. There are other methods for farmers to protect livestock and using dogs is not one of them.

Thank you for your time. Sincerely one of your constituent's, Kelly Davidson