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As an avid outdoorsman, an outfitter in the state or Oregon I spent half my year in the hills on the eastern side of the state. The increase in cougars has become so apparent. The game are suffering and without the use of dogs it's next to impossible to manage them. My family and passion both professionally and personally ride on the wildlife and their future. Without the use of dogs we will continue to see and increase in cougars and decrease on the deer and elk.