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Wildfire

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Please support SB 427, which closes a loophole when changes to water rights are requested. Existing laws for issuance of new water rights don't allow approval if it would harm imperiled fish, but water right changes get a pass—an outdated loophole in Oregon's water laws lets these changes happen without looking at environmental impact. Please close this loophole and protect Oregon's fish. Thank you.