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Eelgrass meadows are essential for ocean health. These meadows stabilize shorelines, absorb pollutants, curtail deadly algal blooms, absorb CO2 and methane. Eelgrass meadows are fish nurseries. And then, there are the birds, geese, scoters, and ducks.

Please, please, in these times of concerted federal ignorance, show that we in Oregon care about our planet, our country, and, in particular, the health of our coast.