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Wildfire

Measure, Appointment or

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SB777

I strongly urge your support of SB 777 which provides that compensation for injury to livestock or working dogs under the wolf depredation compensation and financial assistance grant program must be based on fair market value and other factors. As wolf populations grow, there is more depredation to the sheep and cattle industry. The ranchers should be compensated for their losses due to introduction of wolves in Oregon.