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Topic:

Instead of asking Oregon residents to approve another income tax...that only residents will pay...how about raising the cost of fishing and hunting license, tag or permit that anyone, no matter where they live, will pay? Instead of giving license, tag and permit purchasers a tax credit. Let the people who are taking the fish pay for the work government and organizations are doing to try to replenish stocks and rebuild habitat. We've overfished for many years. Making the licenses more expensive will reduce the number of fisher people, reducing the number of fish caught - leaving more salmon, halibut, tuna, etc to reproduce and replenish stocks.