Submitter:	Kathryn Heath
On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	House Committee On Climate, Energy, and Environment
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB3932

Hello,

I am writing in support of HB 3932 which I believe will help to protect Oregon's beavers and streams. I am a member of the ONDA and have participated in restoration work activities in the past. Research has shown that beavers are incredibly effective at improving water quality—if we leave them in peace to do their work. Beavers improve stream health, increase climate resilience, and promote fire resistance. I believe this bill will help to balance the needs and rights of beavers, trappers/hunters and our waters and watersheds.

Thank you, Kathryn Heath