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We need beavers! Beavers restore rivers and wetlands at no cost to the state of Oregon. We live in the so-called Beaver State, but the only beaver I have seen is in the zoo.

Almost half of all of Oregon's streams and rivers suffer from poor water quality. That's over 100,000 miles of waterways! The Department of Environmental Quality is tasked with restoring these waterways but lacks the resources to do this at the scale needed. This is where beavers can help. Please support our state's namesake to do the work that they do best!