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Please do not pass this law that would infringe on my right to trap. We have to take a trappers education class that teaches what and can how we can trap. All trappers I've ever came across follow the law. So any restrictions to protect certain beavers are followed and respected by trappers. Please respect us by not controlling and limiting where we can trap. I have caught numerous beavers that had bite marks and infections from fighting with others. We have a surplus here in the Willamette Valley and we should let the biologists via ODFW set quotas. Then using the quotas, the state should let trappers harvest and maintain healthy populations. There's no need to restrict citizens rights. Remember, Fur is the best renewable resource we have and won't add to landfills like the majority of other clothing materials.