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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural  
Resources, and Water

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB2403

I am writing to strongly oppose HB 2403. This bill is a waste of taxpayers' money. More money should be spent on non-lethal alternatives. Scientific research has demonstrated that coyote populations respond to their losses by reproducing more. Killing coyotes is a waste of money, in that more coyote pups are born after a population has been reduced by hunting them. The best available science shows that killing carnivores worsens conflicts with livestock. Please OPPOSE HB 2403.