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Beavers deserve the protection of Oregon, not only as the state animal, but as interesting creatures who help our environment naturally, free of charge. I have lived across from beavers in the past and they are quiet, shy animals who seek nothing but to exist in peace, and build their dams. and scientific research and literature has shown that beaver dam complexes and floodplains help to address warm water temperatures(from climate change), dissolved oxygen levels, sedimentation and bio criteria problems. so why aren't we helping them more? They are nature's solution to many of our problems, and they are our state animal, and darling, to boot!