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Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB3932

I urge your support for HB 3932. HB 3932 would prohibit commercial and recreational killing of beavers on public lands in and near waterways with identified water quality problems. Protecting beavers in these areas is important because the dams beavers build improve water quality by creating healthy floodplains and filtering pollutants. Given all the benefits beavers provide, it does not make sense to let people hunt and trap beavers in these areas for recreation and fur.

Oregon is the beaver state.....now's the time to act like it. Thank you.