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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and
Wildfire

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3932

Dear Committee Members,

Please support HB 3932. Beavers - "Natures Engineers" - should be allowed to help restore Oregon's thousands of miles of impaired waterways, and for NO COST. More than 2/3 of Oregon's waterways that have been surveyed are impaired. Their activities, such as canal-digging and dam-building, help slow water flow, restore impacted water tables and underground aquifers, create natural wetlands that filter toxins, and simultaneously create wildlife and fish habitats. This should be good news to consumptive users.

Please join me in supporting this bill.

Thank you.