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This probably does and definitely should go without saying, but the effects of climate change and urbanization have already created widespread havoc in Oregon's natural ecosystems. The destabilization of these ecosystems leaves us more vulnerable to rampant wildfires, the hostile takeover of non-native species, and massive die-off of beneficial wildlife.

Beavers are one of the few things moving our ecosystems in the opposite direction - restoring habitats, encouraging new life, and sustaining the habitats we have left. It really is as simple as that. Support for beavers is support for thriving habitats for us all.