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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

House Committee On Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

HB2977

Please vote YES on HB 2977, so that more money can fund wildlife conservation. This bill is a common-sense approach to funding for wildlife needs, in that it is a lodging tax that many tourists will pay. Tourists are here to enjoy the natural environment and the beauty that Oregon has to offer. Tourists infuse a lot of money into our economy but also cause more congestion and negative wildlife-human interactions. This tax will help mitigate those effects and, in the process, will improve the quality of our environment for all of us to enjoy. Thank you for your consideration of this important bill.