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Having April be Native Plant Appreciation Month is a wonderful idea that will promote interest and awareness for Oregon's diverse native plant communities. With more support for native plant awareness, Oregonians in all parts of the state can benefit from exposure to the beauty and significance of helping our native habitats thrive. From rural to urban areas of the state, we have so many interesting and important native plants to help grow in an increasingly challenged environment. Education in native plant awareness will also help people identify and control non-native invasive growths that are harmful and expensive to eliminate. In summary, this bill is an easy win for all Oregonians.