To Whom it May Concern,

I'm writing to urge an end to coyote killing contests.

Killing for sport of our native wildlife is just plain cruel, and does nothing to contain the populations. Science tells us that this activity only serves to increase breeding of the species.

HB 4075A does not prevent property owners from killing coyotes on their properties in the case of predation. Eliminating the wasteful and unethical killing contests would put Oregon on par with the other states that have more enlightened and humane policies toward wildlife.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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Sent from my iPad