

I'VE been a guide on the rogue river for 32 years and since ODFW stopped the STEP program the fish numbers have been on a steady down hill slide. I know there are other factors involved as well but for bussiness survival we need something to offer customers. Not just guides but all businesses involving tourism. We're seeing fewer bookings and return customers because they can go somewhere else that still has quality fishing to offer. Fees keep rising while fishing runs deteriorate.