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On Behalf

Of:

Committee: House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use, Natural Resources, and

Water

Measure: HB2999

Dear Chair Helm, Vice-Chairs Hartman and Owens, and Honorable Members of the Committee:

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony on HB 2999.

Across Oregon, the combined effects of development, roads, climate change, and human activity are taking a toll on both wildlife and their habitat. HB 2999 would provide important support to help address wildlife habitat connectivity and motorist safety concerns across the state by:

- Providing safe passage for wildlife across the highway.
- Reduce personal injury/death and property damage due to motor accidents with animals and/or attempting to avoid animal on the highway.

Sincerely,

Jut McDaniels