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On Behalf Of:
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Measure: HB3390

HB 3390 is yet another attack on a way of life that many lawmakers and politicians are not familiar with. I urge you all to research and understand what you are attempting to prohibit before you make your decision. Trapping and the sale of fur is what this country was founded on. Trading and bartering of beaver pelts developed the West. Oregon just so happens to have an incredible beaver population that many residents rely on. The sale of fur is what allows us to continue the way of life that has been passed down for generations. Fur is the only sustainable, renewable clothing material. It is also used in the manufacture of hats, fishing lures, and many other essential items we rely on each day.

Please, I urge you to take us into consideration before making a decision to support this bill. Anything short of staunch opposition is a disservice to thousands of Oregon's finest citizens.

Thank you for your time,
Noah