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Hunting and Trapping in Oregon has been a way of life for many people for hundreds of years and is much of what this state is founded on. Trapping in Oregon along with many other states is absolutely essential not only for the livelihood of trappers and their way of life, but also to manage the numbers of predatory animals. Many people don't realize without having a managed trapping season this state's game animals would be almost nonexistent. The laws and regulations for trapping today insure that humane ethical techniques are used by licensed knowledgeable individuals. Trapping is an Oregon as well as American heritage that can NOT be lost! The far left animal rights activists will start with banning trapping and not stop until all hunting, fishing, outdoor organizations are eliminated. We cannot let this happen.