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On Behalf
Of:

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

Measure: HB3086

Representatives,

Thank you for considering my comments SUPPORTING proposed HB 3086 with the -4 amendments.

If we are truly talking about the benefit of all wildlife in Oregon and especially in consideration of all the intricacies wildlife face in the modern era and in consideration for human impacts and management, this bill is a good step to accomplish that. It provides for a greater representation on the commission for all impacted regions of the state which includes not only a diversity in ecosystems and wildlife and their needs but also represents a greater diversity in the states citizenry.

Per previous testimony, I would still like to see some value placed on the general regional appointees being from within ODFW to include direct field biology experience as well as human impact/interaction to ensure that expertise, experience and perspective is present on the Commission.

Again, thank you for considering my comments concerning HB 3086 as I support the river basin management area model for the ODFW Commission representation including the -4 amendment.