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On Behalf  
Of:

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

Measure: HB4148

Dear Chair Helm and Members of the House Committee On Agriculture, Land Use,  
Natural Resources, and Water:

Please support HB 4148. With so much habitat loss, illegal (and legal) killing of wildlife, wildfires, extreme climate change, Oregon's leaders need to be focussed on ways to help preserve wildlife, minimize suffering of animals, and champion educating the public on coexistence with our wild animals. We need ODFW to help prevent conflicts and mitigate conflicts (people and wildlife), find non-lethal and humane solutions to conflicts, and invest in rehabilitation of injured, sick and/or suffering wildlife. Adding crossing for wildlife in the ever-expanding road and highway systems across our state is a responsible thing to do, and frankly the least humans can do to help wildlife access their needed corridors and migration paths.

Please support this bill. It is very needed and should be a priority of this legislative session.

Thank you and thank you for your service.

Jane Bicquette