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I support SB769 because when ungulate populations are below management objective predation is additive. Oregon has 162k mule deer, less than half of their management objective. Oregon has over 6400 cougars, twice the management objective. We need to give this vote back to the counties who understand their wildlife situations rather than having the urban centers decide for the whole state, which has caused massive damage to the rural urban relationship.