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HB3932

Please support HB 3932. We are witnessing the continual degradation of our environment. The beaver population is a fraction of its historical prevalence. Protecting beaver has been shown repeatedly to mitigate harm to watersheds, has helped with wildfire suppression, and improves ecosystems. I understand that an individual beaver can inconvenience a land owner, but overall, the benefits are profound. We need to learn how to live with beaver, after all, we are the beaver state! Thank you!