

Submitter:

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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

House Committee On Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

HB4134

Dear Members of the House Committee on Revenue,

Please support HB 4134 which collects revenue through the state transient lodging tax. Our wildlife programs in the state are limping along due to minimal funding. This will allow the work to get done on behalf of the precious wildlife in our state. I am a farm landowner and participate in the Wildlife Management Program as an alternative land management tool in the EFU zone. We are committed to this effort but know ODFW staff can barely assist landowners due to low staffing levels and so much on their plate. We forego income in order to protect wildlife. I hope the state will do its part as well. Thank you, Tina