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As a long time Portland resident who has found peace and comfort in the wild spaces preserved around the Pacific Northwest, I firmly support HB for 134 to secure long-term funding to recover Oregon's most imperiled fish, wildlife, and habitats.

Increasing the state lodging tax to 2.75% is a great way to continue to recreate in the region while also ensuring that recreation remains possible for future generations.

We need a functioning land base. Taking steps now while there are still thriving habitats to protect Will not only be an excellent example for other regions to take their own environmental action, but will help support both human and non-human well-being long into the future.