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This bill would secure dedicated, long-term funding for Oregon's most imperiled fish, wildlife, and habitats by modestly increasing the state transient lodging tax. For the high desert, this would mean real, sustained investment in sagebrush steppe restoration, wildlife connectivity, invasive species control, and wildfire resilience—work that is essential to keeping these ecosystems whole and thriving.