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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Finance and Revenue

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4134

As a life long resident of the beautiful state of Oregon, I implore the Senate to pass HB 4134. It would allow organizations all over the state, responsible for the rescue and rehabilitation of one of our most valuable state resources; our wildlife. Its no secret that Oregon is funded massively by our tourism industry, and to maintain our status and image of beauty and naturalism, it is imperative that this bill passes. Many rehabilitation facilities depend entirely on donations and fundraisers, and so barely are able to afford to meet the needs of staff, animal patients, and education ambassador animals. If this bill passes, it lifts an incredible weight off the shoulders of the every day people who could then dedicate their time to helping more patients, and educating more people about our incredible wildlife. We also live in a time where it is more important than ever before to bolster and protect the flora and fauna that have become so synonymous of the PNW and of Oregon. As a voter, as a citizen, and as someone who has a deep care for our people and environment; please pass this bill.