

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Joel DeWitt <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Say yes to science, yes to Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

As someone who supports responsible wildlife management, I ask the commission to adopt the 2025 spring bear hunt regulations. The department and the biologists tasked with managing these wildlife populations following the best science have recommended these hunts. The data shows this hunt is sustainable, and I support its continuation.

Sincerely,
Joel DeWitt

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Garret Caster <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Say yes to science, yes to Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for managing the growing bear population, and the data supports its continuation. The biologists' recommendations are sound and should not be overruled by political pressure. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Garret Caster

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: James Wheelan <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's spring bear hunt alive with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I strongly support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the hard work of ODFW biologists who have carefully studied population trends. The spring bear season helps gather critical data and contributes to responsible wildlife management. It is a key tool for managing the growing bear population while maintaining ecosystem balance. Please ensure the continuation of this important hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
James Wheelan

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Andy Kelso <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand with science: support the Oregon spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and scientifically supported part of Oregon's wildlife management plan. Without it, we risk losing important data about black bear populations and negatively impacting the ecosystem. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are balanced and designed to ensure the health of the bear population. Anti-hunting pressures should not override the science that supports this hunt. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Andy Kelso

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Kevin Smith <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's spring bear hunt alive with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's recommendations for the 2025 big game regulations are grounded in solid scientific data. The spring bear hunt is an important tool for managing the state's bear population and ensuring a healthy balance in the ecosystem. Hunters provide vital data that biologists use to monitor population trends and make informed decisions. Anti-hunting groups are trying to pressure the commission to shut down this important season, but this decision should be based on science, not politics. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Kevin Smith

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Joe Decker <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:46 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear hunt from political interference.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and science-backed method for managing Oregon's black bear population. Hunters provide biologists with crucial data that helps guide responsible wildlife management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW reflect this science and should be supported. Eliminating the spring bear hunt would ignore the valuable data that shows it is necessary. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Joe Decker

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Nathan Collingham <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:46 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support responsible wildlife management in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is a critical tool for managing the state's growing bear population. Hunters contribute valuable data that biologists use to track population dynamics and make science-based decisions. The 2025 big game regulations reflect a thoughtful, data-driven approach to wildlife management. Eliminating the spring bear season would undermine years of responsible conservation work. Please support the 2025 recommendations and ensure the continuation of the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Nathan Collingham

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Gabe Burns <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:46 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand with science: support the Oregon spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and scientifically supported part of Oregon's wildlife management plan. Without it, we risk losing important data about black bear populations and negatively impacting the ecosystem. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are balanced and designed to ensure the health of the bear population. Anti-hunting pressures should not override the science that supports this hunt. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Gabe Burns

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Irene Willits <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:46 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is a necessary tool for managing the state's growing bear population. The data collected by hunters is critical for ensuring the health and sustainability of this population. The 2025 big game regulations proposed by ODFW are based on solid science and should be adopted to protect Oregon's wildlife. Anti-hunting pressure should not interfere with these data-driven recommendations. Please support the spring bear hunt and keep Oregon's wildlife management grounded in science.

Sincerely,
Irene Willits

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Joaquin Holmes <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Joaquin Holmes

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Zoe Bartley <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Ensure science-based decisions in Oregon's bear management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is based on sound population science and contributes to the state's conservation efforts. Hunters provide crucial data that helps biologists track and manage bear populations. The 2025 recommendations from ODFW reflect a balanced approach to wildlife management. Closing the spring bear season would harm the bear population and other wildlife. I encourage the commission to support the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Zoe Bartley

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Tyler Woods <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support sustainable bear hunting in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Enough is enough! The special interest groups pushing the closures of much needed carnivore seasons, are using these “initiatives” to line their pockets, nothing more. Do not let natural, sustainable, resources fall victim to the animal rights industry. It is sickening, to say the least.

The spring bear hunt is an effective conservation tool, and Oregon’s hunters play an essential role in collecting critical data. Please adopt the 2025 big game regulations as recommended and preserve the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Tyler Woods

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jesse Willits <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is a necessary tool for managing the state's growing bear population. The data collected by hunters is critical for ensuring the health and sustainability of this population. The 2025 big game regulations proposed by ODFW are based on solid science and should be adopted to protect Oregon's wildlife. Anti-hunting pressure should not interfere with these data-driven recommendations. Please support the spring bear hunt and keep Oregon's wildlife management grounded in science.

Sincerely,
Jesse Willits

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Matthew Parsons <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect Oregon's black bear populations!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key component of Oregon's science-based wildlife management strategy. The data collected by hunters provides biologists with the information they need to ensure sustainable population management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are grounded in sound science and should be supported. Without this hunt, we risk losing valuable data and negatively impacting the bear population. Please support the spring bear hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Matthew Parsons

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Kasie Rolles <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunting season.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is backed by strong scientific data and should continue. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations as recommended by ODFW and support sustainable wildlife management.

Sincerely,
Kasie Rolles

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: William Kinnear <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
William Kinnear

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Richard Gover <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt has long been a model of sustainable wildlife management. The biologists at ODFW have used population data to create thoughtful and balanced regulations for 2025. The spring bear season is an important tool for managing the state's growing bear population. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would be detrimental to both the bears and the ecosystem. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and preserve this important season.

Sincerely,
Richard Gover

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Trevor Raborn <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an important wildlife management tool in Oregon. Hunters play a vital role in collecting data that helps biologists make informed decisions about population health. The 2025 regulations reflect a responsible approach to managing Oregon's growing bear population. Without this hunt, there could be negative impacts on other wildlife species as well. Please support the biologists' recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Trevor Raborn

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Carl Barner <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Carl Barner

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Trevor Raborn <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support biologists, support Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Trevor Raborn

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Colin Mathieson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunting: essential for wildlife conservation.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and scientifically supported part of Oregon's wildlife management plan. Without it, we risk losing important data about black bear populations and negatively impacting the ecosystem. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are balanced and designed to ensure the health of the bear population. Anti-hunting pressures should not override the science that supports this hunt. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Colin Mathieson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Charley Brown <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Preserve Oregon's black bear hunt: it's science-based.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's bear population is thriving, thanks in part to the careful management provided by the spring bear hunt. The biologists' recommendations for 2025 are based on solid data, and I strongly support the continuation of this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Charley Brown

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: John Mccave III <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear hunt from political interference.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
John Mccave III

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Richard Billings <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear season in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I fully support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt, as it is a critical part of responsible wildlife management. The science and data back this hunt, and I urge the commission to approve the 2025 big game regulations.

Sincerely,
Richard Billings

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Johnny Bairos <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Say yes to science, yes to Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

As someone who supports responsible wildlife management, I ask the commission to adopt the 2025 spring bear hunt regulations. The data shows this hunt is sustainable, and I support its continuation.

Sincerely,
Johnny Bairos

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Stephen Sowder <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon spring bear hunt is a critical part of managing the state's black bear population. Data collected by hunters is essential for tracking the health and growth of these populations. I fully support the 2025 big game regulations recommended by Oregon's biologists. It's important that wildlife management decisions are based on science, not political pressure. Please continue the spring bear hunt and ensure the long-term sustainability of Oregon's wildlife.

Sincerely,
Stephen Sowder

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Augustus Gonzalez <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let politics interfere with Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key part of Oregon's wildlife conservation strategy. The 2025 regulations are based on robust data and reflect the best practices for managing black bear populations. Hunters provide invaluable data through harvest reports that allow biologists to track the health and size of bear populations. This data shows that the hunt is sustainable and necessary for maintaining balance in the ecosystem. Please continue the spring bear season by supporting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Augustus Gonzalez

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Gunnar Allen <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support responsible wildlife management in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the 2025 big game regulations because they are based on sound science and data. The spring bear hunt in Oregon is an effective tool for managing the bear population, which has been growing steadily. Hunters provide vital information to biologists, who use this data to make responsible management decisions. It's important that the commission upholds these science-based recommendations. Please continue the spring bear hunt and protect Oregon's wildlife.

Sincerely,
Gunnar Allen

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ryan Wallace <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunting: essential for wildlife conservation.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is an important part of responsible wildlife management. The data collected from hunters helps biologists track bear populations and make informed decisions about their health. The 2025 regulations are based on this science and should be adopted to ensure a sustainable bear population. Eliminating the spring bear hunt would ignore the valuable data that shows it is necessary. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Ryan Wallace

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Garrett Moody <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:34 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Garrett Moody

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Alex Stout <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:32 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear hunt from political interference.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and science-backed method for managing Oregon's black bear population. Hunters provide biologists with crucial data that helps guide responsible wildlife management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW reflect this science and should be supported. Eliminating the spring bear hunt would ignore the valuable data that shows it is necessary. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Alex Stout

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Chris Whitmore <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:30 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Say yes to science, yes to Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

As someone who supports responsible wildlife management, I ask the commission to adopt the 2025 spring bear hunt regulations. The data shows this hunt is sustainable, and I support its continuation.

Sincerely,
Chris Whitmore

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brett Blair <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:28 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunting supports healthy ecosystems in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for both wildlife management and conservation efforts. Biologists use the data from harvested bears to track population growth and ensure that hunting practices remain sustainable. The 2025 big game regulations reflect a careful, science-based approach to managing Oregon's black bear population. Political pressure should not undermine these recommendations, which are designed to protect both the bears and the ecosystem. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Brett Blair

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Bodi Mitchell <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:28 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is a necessary tool for managing the state's growing bear population. The data collected by hunters is critical for ensuring the health and sustainability of this population. The 2025 big game regulations proposed by ODFW are based on solid science and should be adopted to protect Oregon's wildlife. Anti-hunting pressure should not interfere with these data-driven recommendations. Please support the spring bear hunt and keep Oregon's wildlife management grounded in science.

Sincerely,
Bodi Mitchell

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Dustin Bauer <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:28 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key component of Oregon's science-based wildlife management strategy. The data collected by hunters provides biologists with the information they need to ensure sustainable population management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are grounded in sound science and should be supported. Without this hunt, we risk losing valuable data and negatively impacting the bear population. Please support the spring bear hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Dustin Bauer

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Patrick Miller <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:28 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect science-driven wildlife management in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Patrick Miller

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Mikala Danna <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:28 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunt supports conservation and sustainability.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Mikala Danna

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Dylan Atwood <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:26 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support Oregon's biologists and the spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for managing the growing bear population, and the data supports its continuation. The biologists' recommendations are sound and should not be overruled by political pressure. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Dylan Atwood

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: James Russell <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:26 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
James Russell

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ben Baggett <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:26 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear hunt from political interference.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Ben Baggett

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Scott Lassell <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:26 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for maintaining healthy bear populations and supporting wildlife management goals. Hunters provide data that helps biologists monitor population dynamics, ensuring that hunting remains sustainable. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are science-based and should be supported. Closing the spring bear season would harm both the bear population and the broader ecosystem. Please stand with the biologists and adopt the 2025 recommendations.

Sincerely,
Scott Lassell

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brian Wilson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:26 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's spring bear hunt alive with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I strongly support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the hard work of ODFW biologists who have carefully studied population trends. The spring bear season helps gather critical data and contributes to responsible wildlife management. It is a key tool for managing the growing bear population while maintaining ecosystem balance. Please ensure the continuation of this important hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Brian Wilson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Larry Armstrong II <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:24 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support Oregon's biologists and the spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for managing the growing bear population, and the data supports its continuation. The biologists' recommendations are sound and should not be overruled by political pressure. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations. When we take science out of the equation and allow opinions of people with little knowledge of the subject to change the management of our big game we are headed towards over population and human animal conflict.

Sincerely,
Larry Armstrong II

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jackson Gielish <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:24 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Jackson Gielish

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brendan Hickey <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:24 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's spring bear hunt alive with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I strongly support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the hard work of ODFW biologists who have carefully studied population trends. The spring bear season helps gather critical data and contributes to responsible wildlife management. It is a key tool for managing the growing bear population while maintaining ecosystem balance. Please ensure the continuation of this important hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Brendan Hickey

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Greg Schuerger <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:24 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Ensure Oregon's bear population remains sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Please allow the trained biologists to manage the state's resources. The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 big game regulations should be supported because they are based on sound science and data. The spring bear hunt is a critical tool for managing the black bear population and ensuring a healthy ecosystem. Hunters provide essential data that biologists use to make responsible wildlife management decisions. It's important that political pressure does not interfere with these science-based recommendations. I urge you to support the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Greg Schuerger

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Adam Gray <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:24 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunting: essential for wildlife conservation.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is an important part of responsible wildlife management. The data collected from hunters helps biologists track bear populations and make informed decisions about their health. The 2025 regulations are based on this science and should be adopted to ensure a sustainable bear population. Eliminating the spring bear hunt would ignore the valuable data that shows it is necessary. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Adam Gray

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Arthur Maurer <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:22 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear hunt from political interference.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and science-backed method for managing Oregon's black bear population. Hunters provide biologists with crucial data that helps guide responsible wildlife management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW reflect this science and should be supported. Eliminating the spring bear hunt would ignore the valuable data that shows it is necessary. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Arthur Maurer

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Mike Hale <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:22 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Mike Hale

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Joel Shedd <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:22 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's bear populations with sustainable hunting.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is not only sustainable but also necessary for the proper management of black bear populations. The data collected from hunters is crucial for biologists to make informed decisions about population health. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the best available science and should be adopted. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would go against the data that supports its continuation. Please support the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Joel Shedd

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Robert Landreth <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:22 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let anti-hunting pressure affect Oregon's bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for maintaining healthy bear populations and supporting wildlife management goals. Hunters provide data that helps biologists monitor population dynamics, ensuring that hunting remains sustainable. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are science-based and should be supported. Closing the spring bear season would harm both the bear population and the broader ecosystem. Please stand with the biologists and adopt the 2025 recommendations.

Sincerely,
Robert Landreth

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Davis Edmondson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:22 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunting season.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is an essential part of responsible wildlife management, and I fully support the 2025 recommendations. Biologists use the data from this hunt to track bear populations and ensure that hunting practices are sustainable. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would ignore the best available scientific data and harm Oregon's wildlife management efforts. Hunters play a key role in gathering data that cannot be obtained through any other means. Please support the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt for future generations.

Sincerely,
Davis Edmondson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Tate Watson <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:22 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Tate Watson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Tim Merry <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:20 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand with science: support the Oregon spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and scientifically supported part of Oregon's wildlife management plan. Without it, we risk losing important data about black bear populations and negatively impacting the ecosystem. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are balanced and designed to ensure the health of the bear population. Anti-hunting pressures should not override the science that supports this hunt. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Tim Merry

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Joe DesJardin <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:20 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bears

Dear ODFW Commission,

Please adopt the 2025 recommendations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. It may sound strange but my family loves to consume high quality bear meat. My wife prefers it to many other types of meat and my kids love the adventure and the time we spend together in bear country.

Sincerely,
Joe DesJardin

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Bob Alexander <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:19 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunt supports conservation and sustainability.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Bob Alexander

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Scott Coerver <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:19 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support sound science in Oregon's bear hunt management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is a proven tool for managing the state's bear population. The 2025 recommendations from ODFW reflect the best available scientific data and are designed to ensure the health and sustainability of Oregon's wildlife. Hunters provide vital data that helps biologists track population health and ensure sustainable hunting practices. Closing the spring bear season would undermine the scientific data that supports its continuation. I urge you to support the 2025 big game regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Scott Coerver

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: John Bowers <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:16 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Defend the 2025 spring bear hunt and wildlife management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 big game regulations should be supported because they are based on sound science and data. The spring bear hunt is a critical tool for managing the black bear population and ensuring a healthy ecosystem. Hunters provide essential data that biologists use to make responsible wildlife management decisions. It's important that political pressure does not interfere with these science-based recommendations. I urge you to support the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
John Bowers

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Michael Lorenzen <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:16 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Michael Lorenzen

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Chris Cox <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:16 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear hunt from political interference.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and science-backed method for managing Oregon's black bear population. Hunters provide biologists with crucial data that helps guide responsible wildlife management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW reflect this science and should be supported. Eliminating the spring bear hunt would ignore the valuable data that shows it is necessary. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Chris Cox

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Chris Cox <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:16 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Say yes to science, yes to Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Chris Cox

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: TobyLauren Burgess <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:16 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
TobyLauren Burgess

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jeremiah Patrick <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:16 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect data-driven wildlife management in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key component of Oregon's science-based wildlife management strategy. The data collected by hunters provides biologists with the information they need to ensure sustainable population management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are grounded in sound science and should be supported. Without this hunt, we risk losing valuable data and negatively impacting the bear population. Please support the spring bear hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Jeremiah Patrick

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Leander geist <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:14 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support Oregon's biologists and the spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for managing the growing bear population, and the data supports its continuation. The biologists' recommendations are sound and should not be overruled by political pressure. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Leander geist

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Reid Lamson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:14 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an important wildlife management tool in Oregon. Hunters play a vital role in collecting data that helps biologists make informed decisions about population health. The 2025 regulations reflect a responsible approach to managing Oregon's growing bear population. Without this hunt, there could be negative impacts on other wildlife species as well. Please support the biologists' recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Reid Lamson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Aaron Hitchcock <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:14 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Please! Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Aaron Hitchcock

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Aaron Blankenship <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:14 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's bear populations with sustainable hunting.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I fully support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as recommended by ODFW biologists. This hunt is based on sound population data and plays a crucial role in managing the state's growing bear population. Hunters provide essential data that helps biologists track population dynamics and ensure sustainable management. It's important that we follow the science and not political pressure when making these decisions. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Aaron Blankenship

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Shane Maycock <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:14 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Shane Maycock

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ross Rickard <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:14 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Ross Rickard

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ryan Gregory <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Ryan Gregory

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brian Kusche <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:13 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please adopt the 2025 staff recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Brian Kusche

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jason Gonzales <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let anti-hunting pressure affect Oregon's bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt has been a valuable tool for managing bear populations for years. It's essential to follow the data and continue this hunt for the health of the species. Please adopt the 2025 regulations as recommended.

Sincerely,
Jason Gonzales

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ken Dunham <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support responsible wildlife management in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for maintaining healthy bear populations and supporting wildlife management goals. Hunters provide data that helps biologists monitor population dynamics, ensuring that hunting remains sustainable. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are science-based and should be supported. Closing the spring bear season would harm both the bear population and the broader ecosystem. Please stand with the biologists and adopt the 2025 recommendations.

Sincerely,
Ken Dunham

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Travis Barnes <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support Oregon's biologists and the spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

It's critical that Oregon continues its spring bear hunt as part of the broader conservation efforts. The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's science-based management approach is the best way to ensure sustainable bear populations. Please support the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Travis Barnes

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Alan Rea <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Alan Rea

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Rick Thomas <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect sustainable hunting in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an effective conservation tool, and Oregon's hunters play an essential role in collecting critical data. Please adopt the 2025 big game regulations as recommended and preserve the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Rick Thomas

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ray Henning <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect data-driven wildlife management in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key component of Oregon's science-based wildlife management strategy. The data collected by hunters provides biologists with the information they need to ensure sustainable population management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are grounded in sound science and should be supported. Without this hunt, we risk losing valuable data and negatively impacting the bear population. Please support the spring bear hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Ray Henning

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Robert Mowen <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear hunt from political interference.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and science-backed method for managing Oregon's black bear population. Hunters provide biologists with crucial data that helps guide responsible wildlife management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW reflect this science and should be supported. Eliminating the spring bear hunt would ignore the valuable data that shows it is necessary. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Robert Mowen

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: "Jeff O'Brien" <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key part of Oregon's wildlife conservation strategy. The 2025 regulations are based on robust data and reflect the best practices for managing black bear populations. Hunters provide invaluable data through harvest reports that allow biologists to track the health and size of bear populations. This data shows that the hunt is sustainable and necessary for maintaining balance in the ecosystem. Please continue the spring bear season by supporting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Jeff O'Brien

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Rob McMahon <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunt supports conservation and sustainability.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's black bear population has grown by 28% in recent years, and the spring bear hunt plays a key role in managing that growth. The biologists at ODFW have carefully designed the 2025 regulations based on population data. These regulations are crucial for maintaining a healthy balance in the ecosystem. Political pressure to close the hunt is not based on science. I urge the commission to follow the data and support the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Rob McMahon

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Chris Shertzer <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Ensure Oregon's bear population remains sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is not only sustainable but also vital for the collection of important population data. Oregon's hunters contribute to conservation efforts by providing data that can't be gathered any other way. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW ensure that the bear population remains healthy and well-managed. It's critical that decisions about wildlife management are made using the best available science. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Chris Shertzer

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Colin Gallagher <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key part of Oregon's wildlife conservation strategy. The 2025 regulations are based on robust data and reflect the best practices for managing black bear populations. Hunters provide invaluable data through harvest reports that allow biologists to track the health and size of bear populations. This data shows that the hunt is sustainable and necessary for maintaining balance in the ecosystem. Please continue the spring bear season by supporting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Colin Gallagher

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Kathi Futornick <kmfutornick@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Opposition to Spring Bear Hunting Season & Especially the Youth Bear Hunt

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As an Oregon resident, I oppose the increase in spring bear tags and instituting a new youth spring bear hunt, and I support the end of the spring bear hunting season entirely. I also support the mandatory trap check time of 48 hours for all game mammals, including bears and cougars, who are trapped for causing damage.

It is not sport when bear tags are issued during the spring when bears are leaving their period of hibernation - they are the most vulnerable. And for children to be encouraged to kill young vulnerable bears - this is the wrong instruction for our children.

I am not opposed to hunting. And I do believe that children should be taught about gun ownership, hunting and safety. It used to be - why not support school programs as an elective? That's meaningful.

Kathi Futornick
503-407-2231
kmfutornick@gmail.com

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Whitney Inmon <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep the spring bear hunt for a sustainable future.

Dear ODFW Commission,

It's important that we continue to manage Oregon's black bear population with science-based regulations. The spring bear hunt is essential for this, and I support the 2025 recommendations to keep this hunt in place.

Sincerely,
Whitney Inmon

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brad Veitch <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's bear hunt science-driven and sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon spring bear hunt is a critical part of managing the state's black bear population. Data collected by hunters is essential for tracking the health and growth of these populations. I fully support the 2025 big game regulations recommended by Oregon's biologists. It's important that wildlife management decisions are based on science, not political pressure. Please continue the spring bear hunt and ensure the long-term sustainability of Oregon's wildlife.

Sincerely,
Brad Veitch

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Nolan Butcher <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:12 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let politics interfere with Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 recommendations are based on years of population data. The spring bear hunt is a sustainable practice that contributes to the long-term health of Oregon's black bear population. Closing this season, as some anti-hunting groups suggest, would go against the scientific data. The bear population is thriving, and the hunt helps ensure its proper management. I encourage the commission to support the biologists' recommendations and keep the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Nolan Butcher

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Lisa McNamee <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:04 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Lisa McNamee

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ben Geist <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:04 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for science and Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 recommendations are based on years of population data. The spring bear hunt is a sustainable practice that contributes to the long-term health of Oregon's black bear population. Closing this season, as some anti-hunting groups suggest, would go against the scientific data. The bear population is thriving, and the hunt helps ensure its proper management. I encourage the commission to support the biologists' recommendations and keep the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Ben Geist

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Frederick Shafer <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:04 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Frederick Shafer

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Manny Beller <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:02 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season and conservation efforts.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key part of Oregon's wildlife conservation strategy. The 2025 regulations are based on robust data and reflect the best practices for managing black bear populations. Hunters provide invaluable data through harvest reports that allow biologists to track the health and size of bear populations. This data shows that the hunt is sustainable and necessary for maintaining balance in the ecosystem. Please continue the spring bear season by supporting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Manny Beller

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jordan Young <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:02 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect Oregon's black bear populations!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's black bear population has grown by 28% in recent years, and the spring bear hunt plays a key role in managing that growth. The biologists at ODFW have carefully designed the 2025 regulations based on population data. These regulations are crucial for maintaining a healthy balance in the ecosystem. Political pressure to close the hunt is not based on science. I urge the commission to follow the data and support the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Jordan Young

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jeep Johnson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:00 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for science and Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key component of Oregon's science-based wildlife management strategy. The data collected by hunters provides biologists with the information they need to ensure sustainable population management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are grounded in sound science and should be supported. Without this hunt, we risk losing valuable data and negatively impacting the bear population. Please support the spring bear hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Jeep Johnson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jake Bulow <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:00 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for science and Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for managing the growing bear population, and the data supports its continuation. The biologists' recommendations are sound and should not be overruled by political pressure. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Jake Bulow

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jeff Hess <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:00 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key part of Oregon's wildlife conservation strategy. The 2025 regulations are based on robust data and reflect the best practices for managing black bear populations. Hunters provide invaluable data through harvest reports that allow biologists to track the health and size of bear populations. This data shows that the hunt is sustainable and necessary for maintaining balance in the ecosystem. Please continue the spring bear season by supporting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Jeff Hess

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Nicholas Gibbs <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:00 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Nicholas Gibbs

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Kelly Abelmann <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:00 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support sustainable bear hunting in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is an essential part of responsible wildlife management, and I fully support the 2025 recommendations. Biologists use the data from this hunt to track bear populations and ensure that hunting practices are sustainable. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would ignore the best available scientific data and harm Oregon's wildlife management efforts. Hunters play a key role in gathering data that cannot be obtained through any other means. Please support the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt for future generations.

Sincerely,
Kelly Abelmann

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Cory Velarde <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:00 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for science and Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is not only sustainable but also necessary for the proper management of black bear populations. The data collected from hunters is crucial for biologists to make informed decisions about population health. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the best available science and should be adopted. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would go against the data that supports its continuation. Please support the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Cory Velarde

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Mary Dorschel <civiciput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 8:00 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep the spring bear hunt for a sustainable future.

Dear ODFW Commission,

It's important that we continue to manage Oregon's black bear population with science-based regulations. The spring bear hunt is essential for this, and I support the 2025 recommendations to keep this hunt in place.

Sincerely,
Mary Dorschel

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jeff Brown <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:58 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let anti-hunters end Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and scientifically supported part of Oregon's wildlife management plan. Without it, we risk losing important data about black bear populations and negatively impacting the ecosystem. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are balanced and designed to ensure the health of the bear population. Anti-hunting pressures should not override the science that supports this hunt. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Jeff Brown

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Don Spence <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:58 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect Oregon's black bear populations!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt has been a valuable tool for managing bear populations for years. It's essential to follow the data and continue this hunt for the health of the species. Please adopt the 2025 regulations as recommended.

Sincerely,
Don Spence

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brian Wissner <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:58 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is a necessary tool for managing the state's growing bear population. The data collected by hunters is critical for ensuring the health and sustainability of this population. The 2025 big game regulations proposed by ODFW are based on solid science and should be adopted to protect Oregon's wildlife. Anti-hunting pressure should not interfere with these data-driven recommendations. Please support the spring bear hunt and keep Oregon's wildlife management grounded in science.

Sincerely,
Brian Wissner

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Conrad Sheley <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:58 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Conrad Sheley

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Dane Jacobi <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:56 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Dane Jacobi

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ty Combs <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:56 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Oregon's spring bear hunt: a key wildlife management tool.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is a necessary tool for managing the state's growing bear population. The data collected by hunters is critical for ensuring the health and sustainability of this population. The 2025 big game regulations proposed by ODFW are based on solid science and should be adopted to protect Oregon's wildlife. Anti-hunting pressure should not interfere with these data-driven recommendations. Please support the spring bear hunt and keep Oregon's wildlife management grounded in science.

Sincerely,
Ty Combs

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Stedson Stegmeier <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:56 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let anti-hunting pressure affect Oregon's bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is backed by strong scientific data and should continue. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations as recommended by ODFW and support sustainable wildlife management.

Sincerely,
Stedson Stegmeier

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Scott Boggs <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:56 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for science and Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key component of Oregon's science-based wildlife management strategy. The data collected by hunters provides biologists with the information they need to ensure sustainable population management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are grounded in sound science and should be supported. Without this hunt, we risk losing valuable data and negatively impacting the bear population. Please support the spring bear hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Scott Boggs

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Bruce Warren <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:56 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support Oregon's biologists and the spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for managing the growing bear population, and the data supports its continuation. The biologists' recommendations are sound and should not be overruled by political pressure. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Bruce Warren

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Tim Carroll <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:54 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunt supports conservation and sustainability.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is an essential part of wildlife management, based on the best scientific data available. I support the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's recommendations for the 2025 regulations. Please keep the spring bear season to ensure a healthy black bear population.

Sincerely,
Tim Carroll

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Travis Festa <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:54 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep the spring bear hunt for a sustainable future.

Dear ODFW Commission,

It's important that we continue to manage Oregon's black bear population with science-based regulations. The spring bear hunt is essential for this, and I support the 2025 recommendations to keep this hunt in place.

Sincerely,
Travis Festa

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Paul Pinkston <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:54 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's bear hunt science-driven and sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 recommendations are based on years of population data. The spring bear hunt is a sustainable practice that contributes to the long-term health of Oregon's black bear population. Closing this season, as some anti-hunting groups suggest, would go against the scientific data. The bear population is thriving, and the hunt helps ensure its proper management. I encourage the commission to support the biologists' recommendations and keep the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Paul Pinkston

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Matthew Thompson <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:52 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to support the 2025 spring bear hunt as recommended by ODFW staff. This hunt is vital for sustainable wildlife management and should not be influenced by anti-hunting pressure. Let's protect science-based conservation.

Sincerely,
Matthew Thompson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Mike Kraft <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunt supports conservation and sustainability.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is a proven tool for managing the state's bear population. The 2025 recommendations from ODFW reflect the best available scientific data and are designed to ensure the health and sustainability of Oregon's wildlife. Hunters provide vital data that helps biologists track population health and ensure sustainable hunting practices. Closing the spring bear season would undermine the scientific data that supports its continuation. I urge you to support the 2025 big game regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Mike Kraft

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Alexander Hudak <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let anti-hunting pressure affect Oregon's bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt has been a valuable tool for managing bear populations for years. It's essential to follow the data and continue this hunt for the health of the species. Please adopt the 2025 regulations as recommended.

Sincerely,
Alexander Hudak

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: James Lahti <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is based on sound population science and contributes to the state's conservation efforts. Hunters provide crucial data that helps biologists track and manage bear populations. The 2025 recommendations from ODFW reflect a balanced approach to wildlife management. Closing the spring bear season would harm the bear population and other wildlife. I encourage the commission to support the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
James Lahti

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Dave Moore <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Dave Moore

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Tony Mcalister <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Preserve Oregon's black bear hunt: it's science-based.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an effective conservation tool, and Oregon's hunters play an essential role in collecting critical data. Please adopt the 2025 big game regulations as recommended and preserve the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Tony Mcalister

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: ETHAN HEADLEY <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunting supports healthy ecosystems in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's bear population is thriving, thanks in part to the careful management provided by the spring bear hunt. The biologists' recommendations for 2025 are based on solid data, and I strongly support the continuation of this important hunt.

Sincerely,
ETHAN HEADLEY

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Lucas Hurt <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for Oregon's wildlife: support the bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to support the 2025 recommendations for Oregon's spring bear hunt. The bear population is thriving, and this hunt is a key tool for maintaining a healthy balance in our wildlife. Hunters provide critical data that helps biologists track population trends and ensure sustainable management. The spring bear season is carefully regulated to ensure it aligns with the best available science. Please follow the data and continue to support this vital hunting season.

Sincerely,
Lucas Hurt

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Randy Loffer <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let politics shut down Oregon's spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for managing the growing bear population, and the data supports its continuation. The biologists' recommendations are sound and should not be overruled by political pressure. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Randy Loffer

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Trent Kaski <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep the spring bear hunt for a sustainable future.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Trent Kaski

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Roy Taylor <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep the spring bear hunt for a sustainable future.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Roy Taylor

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Richard Yasana <user@votervoice.net>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:45 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand Up for Oregon Hunting and Science-Based Wildlife Management!

Dear ODFW Commission Commission,

As a proud conservationist and advocate for Safari Club International, I am writing in support of the recommendations of the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife staff with regard to continuing the spring bear season, increasing bear licenses in northeastern Oregon, and creating a youth bear hunting opportunity in the Alsea-Stott units. With the bear population growing from an estimated 34,000 in 2020 to 44,000 in 2024, the data demonstrates that the species is healthy and expanding, yet ODFW's recommendations remain conservative, underscoring the commitment to long lasting scientifically based wildlife conservation.

SCI believes that sound science-based conservation involving hunting as the primary management tool, while maximizing opportunities for all huntable species, including carnivores such as black bears or mountain lions, is necessary to the long-term health of wildlife. Hunters have long paid the way for conservation, both game and non-game wildlife, and maximizing opportunity for hunting is also key to long-term funding for all conservation. Hunting benefits wildlife conservation.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the proposed recommendations of the professional staff of ODFW regarding black bear hunting. SCI is dedicated to protecting the freedom to hunt and is always First For Hunters.

Sincerely,

Richard Yasana
62185 Crown Point Rd
Coos Bay, OR 97420
yasana@charter.net

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: John Cummings <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
John Cummings

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Andrew Willard <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:50 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Andrew Willard

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Mike Crouse <user@votervoice.net>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand Up for Oregon Hunting and Science-Based Wildlife Management!

Dear ODFW Commission Commission,

As a proud conservationist and advocate for Safari Club International, I am writing in support of the recommendations of the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife staff with regard to continuing the spring bear season, increasing bear licenses in northeastern Oregon, and creating a youth bear hunting opportunity in the Alsea-Stott units. With the bear population growing from an estimated 34,000 in 2020 to 44,000 in 2024, the data demonstrates that the species is healthy and expanding, yet ODFW's recommendations remain conservative, underscoring the commitment to long lasting scientifically based wildlife conservation.

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Sincerely,

Mike Crouse
1101 Kane St
Klamath Falls, OR 97603
kanekeno171@gmail.com

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Billy Jacobson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect sustainable hunting in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 big game regulations should be supported because they are based on sound science and data. The spring bear hunt is a critical tool for managing the black bear population and ensuring a healthy ecosystem. Hunters provide essential data that biologists use to make responsible wildlife management decisions. It's important that political pressure does not interfere with these science-based recommendations. I urge you to support the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Billy Jacobson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Chase Gruber <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep the spring bear hunt for a sustainable future.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is a critical tool for managing the state's growing bear population. Hunters contribute valuable data that biologists use to track population dynamics and make science-based decisions. The 2025 big game regulations reflect a thoughtful, data-driven approach to wildlife management. Eliminating the spring bear season would undermine years of responsible conservation work. Please support the 2025 recommendations and ensure the continuation of the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Chase Gruber

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Dylan Baker <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand with science: support the Oregon spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and necessary part of Oregon's wildlife management. The 2025 recommendations proposed by ODFW are based on the best available science and should be supported. Hunters provide critical data that biologists use to ensure a healthy and thriving bear population. Without this data, effective management of Oregon's wildlife would be compromised. Please support the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Dylan Baker

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Nick Gallagher <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Nick Gallagher

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Seth Melvin <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: seth_melvin@hotmail.com

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 big game regulations should be supported because they are based on thorough population data. The spring bear hunt is crucial for managing the black bear population, which has grown by 28% in recent years. Hunters play an important role in providing data that helps maintain this balance. Political pressures should not be allowed to overrule science-based decisions. I encourage the commission to support the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Seth Melvin

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Chevy Wimberly <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:48 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's bear hunt science-driven and sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 recommendations are based on years of population data. The spring bear hunt is a sustainable practice that contributes to the long-term health of Oregon's black bear population. Closing this season, as some anti-hunting groups suggest, would go against the scientific data. The bear population is thriving, and the hunt helps ensure its proper management. I encourage the commission to support the biologists' recommendations and keep the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Chevy Wimberly

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Steven Choromanski <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:46 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for Oregon's wildlife: support the bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to support the 2025 recommendations for Oregon's spring bear hunt. The bear population is thriving, and this hunt is a key tool for maintaining a healthy balance in our wildlife. Hunters provide critical data that helps biologists track population trends and ensure sustainable management. The spring bear season is carefully regulated to ensure it aligns with the best available science. Please follow the data and continue to support this vital hunting season.

Sincerely,
Steven Choromanski

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Michael Parenteau <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:46 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Ensure science-based decisions in Oregon's bear management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and scientifically supported part of Oregon's wildlife management plan. Without it, we risk losing important data about black bear populations and negatively impacting the ecosystem. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are balanced and designed to ensure the health of the bear population. Anti-hunting pressures should not override the science that supports this hunt. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Michael Parenteau

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brian Smith <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:47 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand with science: support the Oregon spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and necessary part of Oregon's wildlife management. The 2025 recommendations proposed by ODFW are based on the best available science and should be supported. Hunters provide critical data that biologists use to ensure a healthy and thriving bear population. Without this data, effective management of Oregon's wildlife would be compromised. Please support the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Brian Smith

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jeff Holbrook <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:46 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect Oregon's black bear populations!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt has been a valuable tool for managing bear populations for years. It's essential to follow the data and continue this hunt for the health of the species. Please adopt the 2025 regulations as recommended.

Don't let speakers paid by anti-hunting groups, under the guise of "conservation," lie to you the way they lied to Washington. It's not conservation. It's strictly anti-hunting.

Sincerely,
Jeff Holbrook

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Caleb Blackport <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:46 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Caleb Blackport

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Cody Darling <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for science and Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for managing the growing bear population, and the data supports its continuation. The biologists' recommendations are sound and should not be overruled by political pressure. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Cody Darling

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brandon Wilson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Brandon Wilson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Robert Rosage <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support sustainable bear hunting in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is an essential part of responsible wildlife management, and I fully support the 2025 recommendations. Biologists use the data from this hunt to track bear populations and ensure that hunting practices are sustainable. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would ignore the best available scientific data and harm Oregon's wildlife management efforts. Hunters play a key role in gathering data that cannot be obtained through any other means. Please support the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt for future generations.

Sincerely,
Robert Rosage

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Peter Skarda <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Peter Skarda

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Joseph Grigoli <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Ensure science-based decisions in Oregon's bear management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is an essential part of responsible wildlife management, and I fully support the 2025 recommendations. Biologists use the data from this hunt to track bear populations and ensure that hunting practices are sustainable. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would ignore the best available scientific data and harm Oregon's wildlife management efforts. Hunters play a key role in gathering data that cannot be obtained through any other means. Please support the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt for future generations.

Sincerely,
Joseph Grigoli

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ian Wargo <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Ian Wargo

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Dean Bartz <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect data-driven wildlife management in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the 2025 big game regulations because they are based on sound science and data. The spring bear hunt in Oregon is an effective tool for managing the bear population, which has been growing steadily. Hunters provide vital information to biologists, who use this data to make responsible management decisions. It's important that the commission upholds these science-based recommendations. Please continue the spring bear hunt and protect Oregon's wildlife.

Sincerely,
Dean Bartz

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Nathan Meyers <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Nathan Meyers

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Francisco Gaytan <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support responsible wildlife management in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is vital for maintaining healthy bear populations and supporting wildlife management goals. Hunters provide data that helps biologists monitor population dynamics, ensuring that hunting remains sustainable. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are science-based and should be supported. Closing the spring bear season would harm both the bear population and the broader ecosystem. Please stand with the biologists and adopt the 2025 recommendations.

Sincerely,
Francisco Gaytan

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Lance Loneragan <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for science and Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key component of Oregon's science-based wildlife management strategy. The data collected by hunters provides biologists with the information they need to ensure sustainable population management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW are grounded in sound science and should be supported. Without this hunt, we risk losing valuable data and negatively impacting the bear population. Please support the spring bear hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Lance Loneragan

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ryan Los <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:44 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's bear hunt science-driven and sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon spring bear hunt is a critical part of managing the state's black bear population. Data collected by hunters is essential for tracking the health and growth of these populations. I fully support the 2025 big game regulations recommended by Oregon's biologists. It's important that wildlife management decisions are based on science, not political pressure. Please continue the spring bear hunt and ensure the long-term sustainability of Oregon's wildlife.

Sincerely,
Ryan Los

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Anton King <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's bear hunt science-driven and sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon spring bear hunt is a critical part of managing the state's black bear population. Data collected by hunters is essential for tracking the health and growth of these populations. I fully support the 2025 big game regulations recommended by Oregon's biologists. It's important that wildlife management decisions are based on science, not political pressure. Please continue the spring bear hunt and ensure the long-term sustainability of Oregon's wildlife.

Sincerely,
Anton King

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ron Hanson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Please don't let anti-hunting pressure affect Oregon's bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is grounded in sound science and benefits both bears and the ecosystem. The 2025 recommendations from ODFW are well-considered, and I support keeping the spring bear season intact.

Sincerely,
Ron Hanson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jake Wolff <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's spring bear hunt alive with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

As someone who supports responsible wildlife management, I ask the commission to adopt the 2025 spring bear hunt regulations. The data shows this hunt is sustainable, and I support its continuation.

Sincerely,
Jake Wolff

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Michael Schanbacher <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Michael Schanbacher

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ray Conklin <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support hunters and conservation: keep Oregon's spring bear hunt

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is backed by strong scientific data and should continue. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations as recommended by ODFW and support sustainable wildlife management.

Sincerely,
Ray Conklin

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Nathan swigart <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's bear hunt science-driven and sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 recommendations are based on years of population data. The spring bear hunt is a sustainable practice that contributes to the long-term health of Oregon's black bear population. Closing this season, as some anti-hunting groups suggest, would go against the scientific data. The bear population is thriving, and the hunt helps ensure its proper management. I encourage the commission to support the biologists' recommendations and keep the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Nathan swigart

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Michael Schanbacher <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect Oregon's black bear populations!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 big game regulations should be supported because they are based on sound science and data. The spring bear hunt is a critical tool for managing the black bear population and ensuring a healthy ecosystem. Hunters provide essential data that biologists use to make responsible wildlife management decisions. It's important that political pressure does not interfere with these science-based recommendations. I urge you to support the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Michael Schanbacher

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Drew Stout <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Drew Stout

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brent Varriale <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Brent Varriale

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Richard Cole <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Defend the 2025 spring bear hunt and wildlife management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 big game regulations should be supported because they are based on sound science and data. The spring bear hunt is a critical tool for managing the black bear population and ensuring a healthy ecosystem. Hunters provide essential data that biologists use to make responsible wildlife management decisions. It's important that political pressure does not interfere with these science-based recommendations. I urge you to support the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Richard Cole

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Timothy Hill <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:42 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support biologists, support Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Timothy Hill

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Lance Bauer <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key part of Oregon's wildlife conservation strategy. The 2025 regulations are based on robust data and reflect the best practices for managing black bear populations. Hunters provide invaluable data through harvest reports that allow biologists to track the health and size of bear populations. This data shows that the hunt is sustainable and necessary for maintaining balance in the ecosystem. Please continue the spring bear season by supporting the 2025 regulations. Thank you

Lance J Bauer

Sincerely,
Lance Bauer

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brent Wright <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a sustainable and science-backed method for managing Oregon's black bear population. Hunters provide biologists with crucial data that helps guide responsible wildlife management. The 2025 regulations proposed by ODFW reflect this science and should be supported. Eliminating the spring bear hunt would ignore the valuable data that shows it is necessary. I urge you to adopt the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Brent Wright

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ryan Nottestad <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect the future of Oregon's spring bear hunting season.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is backed by strong scientific data and should continue. I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations as recommended by ODFW and support sustainable wildlife management.

Sincerely,
Ryan Nottestad

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Mark Ozenbaugh <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:41 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let politics shut down Oregon's spring bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt in Oregon is an essential part of wildlife management, based on the best scientific data available. I support the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's recommendations for the 2025 regulations. Please keep the spring bear season to ensure a healthy black bear population.

Sincerely,
Mark Ozenbaugh

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Teri Poppino <turretmoon@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: No to Spring Youth Bear Hunting

[You don't often get email from turretmoon@gmail.com. Learn why this is important at <https://aka.ms/LearnAboutSenderIdentification>]

Dear ODFW,

Having spring season on bear hunting violates my sense of fair play. They are just coming out of hibernation—and if 27 other states have already stopped this practice, don't you think they may be on to something?

I urge you to stop any forward motion on this practice right now. Traps need to be checked every 24 hours, to do less is inhumane. I know the intent is to find the balance between using traps and allowing people time to check them, but really, there's no sweet spot between this kind of torture and problem solving. Put yourselves in the animals' place—and make your decision from there.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Teri Grace Poppino

Clackamas County

Sent from my iPhone

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Mark Giudici <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Don't let anti-hunters end Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Mark Giudici

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Nick Dondey <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:40 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Nick Dondey

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Sam Sturlin <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support hunters and conservation: keep Oregon's spring bear hunt

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the 2025 recommendations for the spring bear hunt because they are based on science, not politics. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is thriving, and the hunt is a key tool for managing it. Hunters provide essential data to help biologists track the health of the bear population. Without this hunt, we risk losing vital information that keeps wildlife management on track. Please continue the spring bear hunt and adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Sam Sturlin

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Daniel Wren <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's wildlife through sustainable bear hunting.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is not only sustainable but also necessary for the proper management of black bear populations. The data collected from hunters is crucial for biologists to make informed decisions about population health. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the best available science and should be adopted. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would go against the data that supports its continuation. Please support the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Daniel Wren

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Randy Fish <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Ensure Oregon's bear population remains sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is not only sustainable but also necessary for the proper management of black bear populations. The data collected from hunters is crucial for biologists to make informed decisions about population health. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the best available science and should be adopted. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would go against the data that supports its continuation. Please support the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Randy Fish

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Stewart Aadnes <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:38 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep the spring bear hunt for a sustainable future.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the recommendations. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt. Let's listen to scientists and head the call for conservation in the great state of Oregon. This is vital to a healthy bear population!

Sincerely,
Stewart Aadnes

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Phil Cox <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support biologists, support Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Phil Cox

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Trevor Antognini <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Trevor Antognini

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Elijah Schutz <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep Oregon's spring bear hunt alive with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is a proven tool for managing the state's bear population. The 2025 recommendations from ODFW reflect the best available scientific data and are designed to ensure the health and sustainability of Oregon's wildlife. Hunters provide vital data that helps biologists track population health and ensure sustainable hunting practices. Closing the spring bear season would undermine the scientific data that supports its continuation. I urge you to support the 2025 big game regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Elijah Schutz

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Matt Hamilton <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Matt Hamilton

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Amber Sturlin <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Defend the 2025 spring bear hunt and wildlife management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to support the 2025 spring bear hunt as recommended by ODFW staff. This hunt is vital for sustainable wildlife management and should not be influenced by anti-hunting pressure. Let's protect science-based conservation.

Sincerely,
Amber Sturlin

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: PJ Selinski <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
PJ Selinski

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Cody Hutton <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is an essential part of Oregon's wildlife management strategy. The bear population has been growing steadily, and this hunt helps keep the ecosystem in balance. Hunters provide crucial data that allows biologists to make informed decisions about population health and sustainability. Anti-hunting groups are attempting to close the spring bear season based on political pressure, not science. I encourage the commission to adopt the 2025 regulations and protect this important hunt.

Sincerely,
Cody Hutton

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brian Lewis <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Brian Lewis

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Ed Dakin <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:36 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear hunt from political interference.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 recommendations are based on years of population data. The spring bear hunt is a sustainable practice that contributes to the long-term health of Oregon's black bear population. Closing this season, as some anti-hunting groups suggest, would go against the scientific data. The bear population is thriving, and the hunt helps ensure its proper management. I encourage the commission to support the biologists' recommendations and keep the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Ed Dakin

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Isabella Jones <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:34 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt in Oregon helps protect and manage wildlife

Dear ODFW Commission,

As someone who cares about wildlife conservation, I fully support the spring bear hunt in Oregon. It's a vital tool for managing bear populations responsibly, and the data shows that it is sustainable. With so many predators, the ungulate populations will suffer. Please protect the 2025 spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Isabella Jones

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Robert Mollineaux <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:34 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Robert Mollineaux

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Lucas Jacque <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:34 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I strongly support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the hard work of ODFW biologists who have carefully studied population trends. The spring bear season helps gather critical data and contributes to responsible wildlife management. It is a key tool for managing the growing bear population while maintaining ecosystem balance. Please ensure the continuation of this important hunt by adopting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
Lucas Jacque

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: David Leffew <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:34 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Defend the 2025 spring bear hunt and wildlife management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's recommendations for the 2025 big game regulations are grounded in solid scientific data. The spring bear hunt is an important tool for managing the state's bear population and ensuring a healthy balance in the ecosystem. Hunters provide vital data that biologists use to monitor population trends and make informed decisions. Anti-hunting groups are trying to pressure the commission to shut down this important season, but this decision should be based on science, not politics. Please adopt the 2025 regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
David Leffew

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Marcella Welton <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:32 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Spring bear hunt supports conservation and sustainability.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's black bear population has grown by 28% in recent years, and the spring bear hunt plays a key role in managing that growth. The biologists at ODFW have carefully designed the 2025 regulations based on population data. These regulations are crucial for maintaining a healthy balance in the ecosystem. Political pressure to close the hunt is not based on science. I urge the commission to follow the data and support the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Marcella Welton

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Brian Doyle <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:32 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Ensure Oregon's bear population remains sustainable.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's black bear population has grown steadily, and the spring bear hunt is an essential tool for managing that growth. The data collected from hunters allows biologists to monitor population health and sustainability. The 2025 regulations are based on this science and should be adopted to ensure continued responsible wildlife management. Closing the spring bear season would ignore the valuable data that supports its continuation. I urge you to support the 2025 regulations and keep the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Brian Doyle

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Lance DeZeeuw <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:32 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Lance DeZeeuw

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jacob Wacha <civiciinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:32 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Jacob Wacha

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: William Coffland <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:32 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support hunters and conservation: keep Oregon's spring bear hunt

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the 2025 recommendations for the spring bear hunt because they are based on science, not politics. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is thriving, and the hunt is a key tool for managing it. Hunters provide essential data to help biologists track the health of the bear population. Without this hunt, we risk losing vital information that keeps wildlife management on track. Please continue the spring bear hunt and adopt the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
William Coffland

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jonathan Steinbis <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:32 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for science and Oregon's spring bear hunt!

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is not only sustainable but also necessary for the proper management of black bear populations. The data collected from hunters is crucial for biologists to make informed decisions about population health. The 2025 big game regulations reflect the best available science and should be adopted. Reducing or eliminating this hunt would go against the data that supports its continuation. Please support the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Jon Steinbis

Sincerely,
Jonathan Steinbis

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Jeremy Stacy <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:32 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Stand up for Oregon's wildlife: support the bear hunt.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to support the 2025 recommendations for Oregon's spring bear hunt. The bear population is thriving, and this hunt is a key tool for maintaining a healthy balance in our wildlife. Hunters provide critical data that helps biologists track population trends and ensure sustainable management. The spring bear season is carefully regulated to ensure it aligns with the best available science. Please follow the data and continue to support this vital hunting season.

Sincerely,
Jeremy Stacy

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Calder Russell <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:30 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: The spring bear hunt: crucial for managing bear populations.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Calder Russell

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Dan Young <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:30 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support sound science in Oregon's bear hunt management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

Oregon's spring bear hunt is a proven tool for managing the state's bear population. The 2025 recommendations from ODFW reflect the best available scientific data and are designed to ensure the health and sustainability of Oregon's wildlife. Hunters provide vital data that helps biologists track population health and ensure sustainable hunting practices. Closing the spring bear season would undermine the scientific data that supports its continuation. I urge you to support the 2025 big game regulations and protect the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Dan Young

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Sam Boppe <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:30 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Support the 2025 spring bear regulations in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is important for maintaining healthy wildlife populations in Oregon. Please follow the science and adopt the 2025 recommendations to keep the spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Sam Boppe

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Eli Neshiem <civinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:30 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep the spring bear hunt for a sustainable future.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I support the continuation of Oregon's spring bear hunt as outlined in the 2025 big game regulations. The data shows that Oregon's black bear population is healthy and growing, and this hunt helps manage that growth responsibly. Hunters play a critical role in collecting data that ensures biologists can track population trends and make informed decisions. The spring bear hunt is sustainable and should be protected from political interference. Please adopt the 2025 recommendations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Eli Neshiem

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Matthew Hellebrand <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:30 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Help protect sustainable hunting in Oregon.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife's 2025 big game regulations should be supported because they are based on sound science and data. The spring bear hunt is a critical tool for managing the black bear population and ensuring a healthy ecosystem. Hunters provide essential data that biologists use to make responsible wildlife management decisions. It's important that political pressure does not interfere with these science-based recommendations. I urge you to support the 2025 regulations and continue the spring bear hunt.

Sincerely,
Matthew Hellebrand

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Michael Johnson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:28 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Keep bear hunting a sustainable part of Oregon's wildlife plan.

Dear ODFW Commission,

As someone who cares about wildlife conservation, I fully support the spring bear hunt in Oregon. It's a vital tool for managing bear populations responsibly, and the data shows that it is sustainable. Please protect the 2025 spring bear season.

Sincerely,
Michael Johnson

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: John Killian <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:28 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect Oregon's spring bear season with data-backed decisions.

Dear ODFW Commission,

The spring bear hunt is a key part of Oregon's wildlife conservation strategy. The 2025 regulations are based on robust data and reflect the best practices for managing black bear populations. Hunters provide invaluable data through harvest reports that allow biologists to track the health and size of bear populations. This data shows that the hunt is sustainable and necessary for maintaining balance in the ecosystem. Please continue the spring bear season by supporting the 2025 regulations.

Sincerely,
John Killian

BORISCH Roxann B * ODFW

From: Joseph Jackson <civicinput@newmode.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 7:28 PM
To: ODFW Commission * ODFW
Subject: Protect spring bear hunting in Oregon with sound management.

Dear ODFW Commission,

I urge the commission to adopt the 2025 big game regulations and continue the spring bear hunt in Oregon. This hunt is a key part of responsible wildlife management, and the data supports its sustainability.

Sincerely,
Joseph Jackson