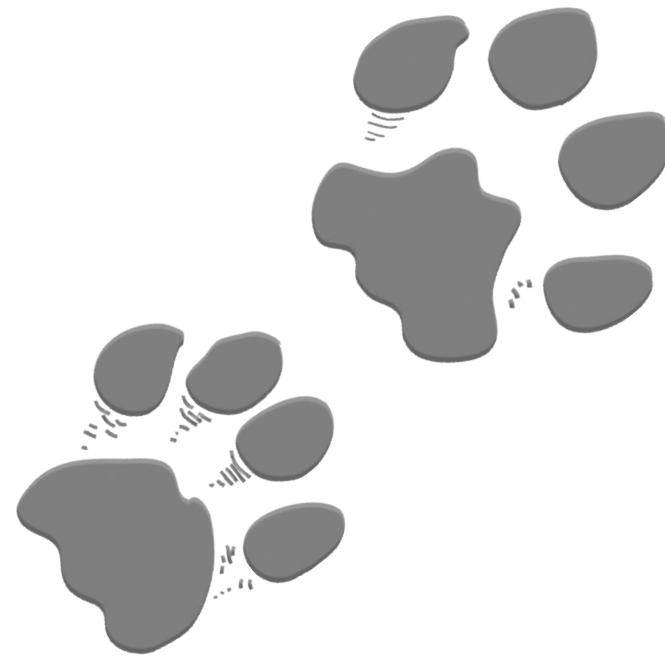


# BE ADVISED

**A COUGAR WAS  
REPORTED SEEN  
IN THIS AREA  
ON \_\_\_\_\_**



**IF YOU ENCOUNTER A COUGAR...**

**STOP** Never approach a cougar at any time for any reason.

**STAY CALM** Face the cougar and do not turn your back towards it.  
Do not run. Running encourages it to chase.

**APPEAR LARGE** Make yourself look large.  
Do not bend over or crouch down.  
Raise your hands. Hold your coat open.  
Hold small children.

**FIGHT BACK** Fight back if attacked.

**MAKE NOISE** Make noise while hiking to reduce the chance  
of surprising a cougar.

**KEEP CHILDREN CLOSE** Always keep children close by  
and in sight.

**AVOID WALKING ALONE**

Report all sightings to local Oregon State Police  
or Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife

