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Wolves might be the worst possible thing to happen to the big game herds of Washington state. Elk numbers are decent for now, but inevitably they will decrease drastically once these wolves become over populated. The deer numbers in Washington state are some of the saddest numbers I've ever seen. I cannot believe the game department cannot figure out how to bring back the deer population. It really wouldn't be that hard and it would only take a couple years. I could get into that but that's not why I'm here. With the struggling mule deer population the wolves will and in some places already have taken a toll on the deer in the area. Places where you could walk into a valley and see 30 deer a day now you would be lucky to even see one. It's embarrassing how misled and ignorant the wdfw is on what is actually going on with the big game herds in this state. Wolves should've never been reintroduced and now all of us real conservationists are going to have to suffer the consequences of the ignorant left, yet again.