## Lewis Kono

Hello,

Your decision to cancel the in-person meetings has to (directly) correlate to the absolute outrage associated with re-introduction of a very organized, very skilled, pack hunting animal. I live a long way (I think, at the rate they are growing) from this situation (Silverdale), but I old and have farm roots. I can only imagine the outrage that ranchers feel when several of THEIR ANIMALS come limping/crawling home after their hocks and bellies are chewed open. What a vet bill!! And their youngsters get to see these blind, nose-chewed, missing-eared calves and yearlings (that were lucky) come bawling home. Where is their outrage heard and felt and written about? Sure they are compensated, but the time wasted, schedules, funding delays, and a host of other variables that you can only realize if you're in their shoes. Director Susewind, why not be the bold, brave trail blazer and resist (do not like this word) this FEDERAL disaster?

My re-intro plan would be to designate a 5k acre fenced RANGE for 5 packs to roam. WIFI Trail cams at strategic locations for (wolf wanters) people that log in and want to see them in the wild.

Thank you, Lew Kono 10903 Corey Lane NE Poulsbo lagkono@wavecable.com iPhone