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Humans are rapidly developing or destroying wildlife habitat all over the world for our own selfish needs. We are very lucky in this county to still have areas that support wolves. Cattle ranching and the beef industry are the front runners in habitat destruction, increasing toxic emissions, as well as providing an unhealthy and unsustainable product to the population in often inhuman methods. The removal of these iconic top predators causes an unbalanced ecosystem as is with the loss of the sharks. Top predators are necessary to sustain the cycle in every ecosystem but are being pushed out by our increasing population. Destructive practices to wildlife and habitat on this planet must stop if we wish to continue to thrive ourselves on this very damaged planet.