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What is your gender?

Male

Age?

36

County (or Counties) of Primary Residence?

Kittitas

Residential setting:

Rural

Do you identify yourself as any of the following?

Environmentalist

Hunter

Outdoor Recreationist

WDFW has identified a list of impact topics to include in the Plan/EIS. Impact topics are a means of organizing the discussion of issues and analysis of impacts. Impact topics can be thought of as chapter or section headings in the Plan/EIS.

Please review this list and add other topics, or items that fit under these headings.

Please check the topics you view as most important.

Wolf management areas

Wolf-livestock conflicts

Wolf interactions with other species

Economic analysis

Do you have general comments about the scope of Washington's updated wolf conservation and management plan?

Bottom line here is wolves need to be managed by science, not public opinion or politics from either the West or East side of the state. Fish and Wildlife biologists need to be able to do their job to promote balance. Ungulate populations in Washington State can not sustain an Apex predator who is not properly managed. Nature needs wolves and predators alike, they cull the sick and weak providing stronger and healthier population. However humans interfere with these natural relationships, thus proper management backed by science is necessary for the well being of all species.