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What is your gender?

Female

Age?

60

County (or Counties) of Primary Residence?

Island

Residential setting:

Rural

Do you identify yourself as any of the following?

Environmentalist

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 conservation and monitoring

Wolf-livestock conflicts

Habitat connectivity

Information and education

Research

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

I am concerned that the plan does not put enough emphasis on reducing wolf-livestock conflicts or on non-lethal methods of reducing such conflicts. I feel more responsibility needs to be put on livestock producers to keep livestock from areas that wolves are known to frequent, and to better manage and control the movements of stock. Thank you.