

Daniel Price

What is your gender?

Male

Age?

54

County (or Counties) of Primary Residence?

Stevens

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

Land management

Habitat connectivity

Research

Economic analysis

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

At this time the science does not support delisting. The number of wolves in the State is too low to be considered recovered. WDFW must work more with a coalition of environmentalists, hunters, producers, and outdoor recreationalists. WAG pretends to do this but in actuality leans heavily toward producers and hunters.

WDFW also needs more economic studies. Ranching and hunting both bring in little economic impact compared to non-consumptive outdoor users. This has been widely proven. Just look at data from the USFWS and even the state's own info.

Science and economics need to override politics and the loud voices of a few ranchers. In other words so far the WDFW has failed in science and economics.