Kathleen Fisher

What is your gender? Female

Age? 73

County (or Counties) of Primary Residence?

King

Residential setting: Suburban

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

Habitat connectivity

Information and education

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

I am in favor of continued conservation of wolves as a natural part of the ecosystem in Washington.

I do not believe they are a threat to humans as some like to claim since there are 60,000 to 70,000 wolves in North America and there have been only two documented cases of wolves killing humans. Dogs have killed many times more people than that.

My biggest concern is the conflicts between wolves and rancher on public lands. It is unconscionable that wolves are destroyed for killing animals grazing on public lands. Grazing simply should not be allowed on public lands that is wolf habitat. These are public lands owned by all of us not by ranchers. It is time we give priority to wildlife instead of cows.

Thank you