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What is your gender?

Prefer Not to Say

Age?

34

County (or Counties) of Primary Residence?

King

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 conservation and monitoring

Wolf classification/status

Wolf-livestock conflicts

Wolf-ungulate interactions

Wolf interactions with other species

Wolf-human interactions

Wolf hunting

Land management

Research

Goals objectives strategies and tasks

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

Once recovered, wolves should be managed in a manner consistent with other wildlife within Washington State such as deer, cougar, or bear. The North American model for wildlife conservation has proven successful for decades. Hunting is one tool or aspect within that model. In states like Montana and Idaho, where wolves have recovered and been added to the North American conservation model, wolves have continued to thrive within those landscapes while being managed with legal, regulated, hunting seasons. These states have also seen an increase in social tolerance of wolves because of their management decisions regarding wolves.