

Terri Slanetz

What is your gender?

Female

Age?

56

County (or Counties) of Primary Residence?

Skagit

Residential setting:

Rural

Do you identify yourself as any of the following?

Environmentalist

Livestock Producer

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

Please list other topics here. The next page provides space for general comments on the scope of the plan.

Health of Habitats, stricter regulation of logging herbicides, awareness of wolf biology and pack dynamics

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

Thank you for all the work that has gone into wolf conservation in WA state. I believe allowing wolves to return to WA helps with overall health of our ecosystem. Predators have proven crucial for ecosystem balance and health. I believe humans and wolves can and should co-exist. I felt very proud and excited to learn of the wolf/wolves west of the cascade mountains.

I believe any management of wolves must consider the nature of the species and the importance of alpha males, breeding females and promising pups to the coherence of the pack.

I also believe our forests are being contaminated by logging herbicides and this needs to be more regulated for the health of wolves and humans and all life.