

Alfred Higgins

What is your gender?

Male

Age?

68

County (or Counties) of Primary Residence?

Chelan

Residential setting:

Rural

Do you identify yourself as any of the following?

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 interactions with other species

Land management

Habitat connectivity

Information and education

Research

Costs and funding priorities

Economic analysis

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

It is my opinion that wolf-live stock encounters can be minimized. There is no value to the public in allowing free range live stock on public lands. In addition, stock animals both increase greenhouse gasses and damage wild lands. I am opposed to establishing the wolf as a sport hunting species. I am not concerned that wolf-human interactions are or will become a significant hazard to outdoor recreationalists.