Wolf Advisory Group (WAG) Meeting

July 10-11, 2018

Kittitas Valley Event Center Heritage Center 901 E 7th Avenue Ellensburg, WA 98926

Tuesday, July 10 – 1:00pm-6:00pm

1:00 Welcome and Overview

1:20 WDFW Update/Status, Part 1:

- Current Protocol
- Current Grazing Season
- Status of lawsuits
- Commission/Public Notice
- Next Third Party Neutral (TPN) update

2:20 Break

2:35 Elements of and Timeline for the Long Term Wolf Conservation and Management Plan and Process:

Purpose: To have WAG, WDFW and a Fish and Wildlife Commission representative develop a draft path forward including roles, responsibilities and chronology for products and processes in developing the Long Term Wolf Plan; to ensure integration with decision-making bodies, legal requirements and public engagement; to prepare for August Fish and Wildlife Commission meeting and relevant Commission request. Commissioner Kim Thorburn will be participating in this session.

5:30 Public Comment

6:00 Close

Wednesday, July 11 – 8:00am-3:00pm

8:00 Check-in

8:15 Implementation Plan for the Public Process

Purpose: To review purpose/needs developed by WAG in May; to have stakeholder groups prioritize the events/venues that are best suited for their community so that WDFW's public process efforts are more successful; to seek WAG/WDFW agreement on an implementation plan drafted by WDFW; and to determine what, if any, role WAG wants to have in the public process.

11:15 Break

11:30 Next Third Party Neutral (TPN)

Purpose: Discuss current status of external TPN search and determine course of action going forward

12:30 WDFW Update/Status, Part 2:

- Depredations assigned to packs
- Data sharing
- Caught in the act
- Current Plan Review
- 1:30 **Lunch**
- 2:00 Appreciation Exercise
- 2:30 Public Comment
- 3:00 Close