

DEPREDATION REPORT FORM

Resource Owner: (b) (6), (b) (3) (A)			
Mailing Address:			
Phone: (b) (6), (b) (3) (A)	County: Catron	Ranch Name: (b) (6), (b) (3) (A)	
SITE DESCRIPTION:			
Nearest Town: Horse Springs	Allotment Name (if applicable):		
Approximate Location: (; Mangas Rd. A095		
Coordinates: UTMN: (b) (6), (b) (3) (A)	UTME: (b) (6), (b) (3) (A)		
Elevation: 7497	Slope %: 10	Aspect:	
Vegetative Cover: Grass, Pinion & cedar trees			
Topography (riparian, S. slope, bench, etc.):	Grass, Pinion & cedar trees		
General Description of Area: Hills /canyons /rocky			
Date Complaint Received: 3/25/19	Date Investigated: 3/25/19		
Land Ownership: <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FS <input type="checkbox"/> BLM <input type="checkbox"/> State <input type="checkbox"/> Tribal <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Type of animal: <input type="checkbox"/> Sheep <input type="checkbox"/> Lamb <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bull <input type="checkbox"/> Cow <input type="checkbox"/> Calf <input type="checkbox"/> Horse <input type="checkbox"/> Colt <input type="checkbox"/> Dog <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Number of Selected Animal: 1			
Damage Type: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Killed <input type="checkbox"/> Injured <input type="checkbox"/> Harassment <input type="checkbox"/> Stillborn <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Breed: Black angus			
Ear Tag Number: NA			
Sex: Male			
Estimated time since death or injury: 2-3 days			
Estimated Age of Resource: 8 year			
Are there other livestock in the area? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
Describe (how many, behavior, composition, distance from mortality). (b) (6), (b) (3) cows (Bull None present			
EVIDENCE:			
Detection Method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Report form owner <input type="checkbox"/> Birds <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
Carnivore Tracks Present: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mexican Wolf <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Coyote <input type="checkbox"/> Mt. Lion <input type="checkbox"/> Black Bear <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
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Carnivores observed in area? Describe: No carnivores were observed			
Carcass hidden or in the open? Describe: Carcass was in open near creek bottom			
Carcass Covered? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
Carcass Moved? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
Drag marks present? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
Collard Wolves in area? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	If Yes, then number:		
Blood on Vegetation? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Describe:		
Apparent point of first feeding: NA			
Percentage of Carcass Remaining			
<input type="checkbox"/> 0-25%--No soft tissue, hide present, disarticulated.			
<input type="checkbox"/> 26-50%--All organs consumed, all or most of quarters consumed, partial disarticulation.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 51-75%--All organs and portions of the hind quarters consumed, front quarters and neck intact, articulated.			
<input type="checkbox"/> 76-100%--some organs consumed, most soft tissue intact, skeleton articulated.			
Describe any additional evidence that is discovered in the area:			
Describe hemorrhages and corresponding marks seen while skinning the hide or other abnormalities (Location and type, e.g.			

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claw marks on right hind leg, or canine marks on neck.			
Clipped & skinned found hemorrhages & canine bite marks on underside of skin also bite marks compressions on outside of skin around hip & back area.			
Canine spread (if applicable): mm	47.2mm	45.8mm	45.7mm
Cause of Damage			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Confirmed	Carnivore (list Species):	Mexican gray wolf	
<input type="checkbox"/> Probable			
<input type="checkbox"/> Accident			
<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown			
<input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:			
Were photos taken of the site?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	Attached?
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Was a veterinarian involved in cause of death determination?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
If yes, is a veterinarian report attached?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
SUMMARY OF INCIDENT (including preface and actions taken):			
Resource owner contacted Wildlife Services (WS) on 3-25-19 and said they found a dead bull and was requesting a depredation investigation. WS arrived on 3-25-19 to conduct the investigation. After examination, we clipped the hair and skinned the bull. WS found bite marks and hemorrhages on the hide, which is consistent with Mexican gray wolves. Therefore, Mexican gray wolves were responsible for the death of this cow.			
Lead Investigator: (b) (6)			



1. Dead Bull - head view



2. Back view



3. Belly view



4. Canine spread 47.20mm right hip



5. Canine spread 47.20mm top lower back



6. Canine bite sites - hemorrhage