

DEPREDAATION REPORT FORM

(b) (6), (b) (3) (A)  
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Resource Owner:			
Mailing Address:			
Phone:	(b) (6), (b)	County:	Socorro
Ranch Name:		(b) (6), (b) (3) (A)	
<b>SITE DESCRIPTION:</b>			
Nearest Town:	(b) (6),	Allotment Name (if applicable):	(b) (6), (b) (3) (A)
Approximate Location:			
Coordinates:	UTMN:	(b) (6),	UTME:
Elevation:		Slope %:	Aspect:
Vegetative Cover:	Grass flat with scattered trees		
Topography (riparian, S. slope, bench, etc.):	Rolling hills with trees sandy ground.		
General Description of Area:			
Date Complaint Received:	4-11-17	Date Investigated:	4-11-17
Land Ownership:	Private	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FS	BLM
Type of animal:	Sheep	Lamb	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bull
Number of Selected Animal:	1		
Damage Type:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Killed	Injured	Harassment
Breed:	Registered Angus Bull		
Ear Tag Number:			
Sex:	M		
Estimated time since death or injury:	10 days or more!		
Estimated Age of Resource:	7 Years old		
Are there other livestock in the area?	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Describe (how many, behavior, composition, distance from mortality). .Rancher said the bulls were in the pasture and they had moved them to a different pasture.			
<b>EVIDENCE:</b>			
Detection Method:	Report form owner	Birds	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other: Ranch Manager
Carnivore Tracks Present:	Mexican Wolf	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Coyote	Mt. Lion
Scat Present:	Mexican Wolf	Coyote	Mt. Lion
Carnivores observed in area? Describe: I observed a blown out wolf track around and coyote tracks in the area. .			
Carcass Covered?	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Carcass Moved?	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Drag marks present?	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
Collard Wolves in area?	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes	No	If Yes, then number: No telemetry that day
Blood on Vegetation?	Yes	No	Describe:
Apparent point of first feeding:	N/A		
Percentage of Carcass Remaining	0-25%---No soft tissue, hide present, disarticulated.		



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	26-50%--All organs consumed, all or most of quarters consumed, partial disarticulation.
	51-75%--All organs and portions of the hind quarters consumed, front quarters and neck intact, articulated.
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	76-100%--some organs consumed, most soft tissue intact, skeleton articulated.

Describe any additional evidence that is discovered in the area:

Canine spread (if applicable): mm	40,80mm		
Cause of Damage Mexican Gray Wolf			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Confirmed	Carnivore (list Species):	Mexican gray wolf
	Probable		
	Accident		
	Unknown		
	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
Was a veterinarian involved in cause of death determination?		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
If yes, is a veterinarian report attached?		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**SUMMARY OF INCIDENT** (including preface and actions taken):

Wildlife Services (WS) received a phone call from the (b) (6), (b) (3) at (b) (6), (b) and told me that a ranch hand found a dead bull in a cedar tree. (b) said that he had to move some cows and couldn't meet me till the afternoon of 4-11-17 and he would show WS where the bull was. WS met the rancher around 1:00pm and he took me to the site. At the site, there was a 7 year old bull jammed up in a cedar tree, the front half of the bull was off the ground hanging in the cedar tree. The bulls back end was on the ground. There was very little of the bull eaten, he was melting down. I clipped the hide and found bites on the left shoulder of the bull with hemorrhage and bites with hemorrhage on the tail root of the bull. I did find a wolf track around area where the bull was and coyote tracks in the area. (b) assisted me on this investigation.



Dead bull



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Bite found near the tail root measuring 40.80mm



Bite found on the left shoulder measuring 40.80mm



Hemorrhaging found on the left shoulder

Lead Investigator: (b) (6)