



LIVESTOCK LOSS DETERMINATION

Investigation ID: 070122-PLU

Date Investigated: 7/1/22

- Confirmed Wolf
- Probable Wolf
- Possible Wolf
- Non-Wolf Depredation
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- Unknown

General Area: Northern Plumas County, private timberland

General situation and animal information: On July 1, CDFW staff found a calf carcass and notified the producer, who suspected possible wolf depredation. The carcass was investigated by CDFW the same day. Though the calf was estimated to have died three days earlier, the carcass was in sufficient condition to allow a thorough investigation.

Physical evidence of wolf predation: No evidence of predation was found.

Evidence of wolf presence near the time of the animal(s) death/injury: A GPS-collared wolf was located near the carcass two days prior to the investigation.

Summary: The carcass was in sufficient condition to permit a thorough investigation, and there was no evidence of depredation.