



LIVESTOCK LOSS DETERMINATION

Investigation ID: 111222-SIS

Date Investigated: 11/12/22

Cause of Death:

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

General Area: Eastern Siskiyou County, private land, Whaleback pack area

General situation and animal information: Ranch personnel discovered a 650 lb. calf carcass on the morning of November 12. CDFW investigated the carcass that same morning. The carcass was in sufficient condition to allow a thorough investigation.

Physical evidence of wolf predation: The carcass had large external tooth rakes matched with associated muscle hemorrhage on the left rear leg and front right leg. The tooth mark size and location of wounds were consistent with wolf attack.

Evidence of wolf presence near the time of the animal(s) death/injury: Wolf tracks were present near the carcass.

Summary: Evidence indicated the calf was killed by wolves early in the morning of November 12.

