

LIVESTOCK LOSS DETERMINATION

California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Investigation ID: 103123-SIS

Date Investigated: 10/31/23

Cause of Death:

- Confirmed Wolf – 1 dead adult cow
- Probable Wolf
- Possible Wolf
- Non-Wolf Depredation
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- Unknown

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

General situation and animal information: A dead 950 lb. cow was discovered on October 31 and was investigated the same day by Siskiyou County personnel.

Physical evidence of wolf predation: The carcass had external bite marks with associated subcutaneous and musculature hemorrhage of the size and location indicative of wolf attack.

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

Summary: Evidence indicated that the cow was killed by wolves.



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