

# LIVESTOCK LOSS DETERMINATION

## California Department of Fish and Wildlife

**Investigation ID:** 121723-SIS

**Date Investigated:** 12/17/23

### **Cause of Death:**

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

**General Area:** Eastern Siskiyou County, private property, west of Whaleback pack area

**General situation and animal information:** A 125 lb. calf carcass was found on December 17 and was investigated the same day by Siskiyou County personnel.

**Physical evidence of wolf predation:** None, the carcass had external bite marks with associated subcutaneous and musculature hemorrhage of the size and location indicative of coyote attack.

**Evidence of wolf presence near the time of the animal(s) death/injury:** None.

**Summary:** Evidence indicates that the calf was killed by coyotes.