LIVESTOCK LOSS DETERMINATION California Department of Fish and Wildlife

Investigation ID: 112824-SIS

Date Investigated: 11/28/24

Cause of Death:

□ Confirmed Wolf

☐ Probable Wolf

☐ Possible Wolf

☐ Non-Wolf Depredation

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☐ Unknown

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

General situation and animal information: A calf was found injured and euthanized on November 28. A calf carcass was found at that location on November 28 and was investigated the same day by Siskiyou County staff.

Physical evidence of wolf predation: The size and location of bite marks and associated hemorrhage were indicative of wolf attack.

Evidence of wolf presence near the time of the animal(s) death/injury: OR85 satellite collar was located in the general area that morning. Wolf tracks and scat were present.

Summary: Evidence indicated the calf was killed by wolves.

