

## SUMMARY SHEET

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**Meeting:** March 17-18, 2017

**Agenda Item:** Annual Wolf Management Report – **Briefing**

**Presenter:** Donny Martorello, Ph.D., Wolf Policy Lead, Wildlife Program

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**Background:**

The Fish and Wildlife Commission adopted Washington's Wolf Conservation and Management Plan in December of 2011. Since the adoption, the Department has provided regular updates to the Commission regarding wolf management activities. This briefing will focus on activities in 2016 including updates on wolf population status, trapping and monitoring, wolf-livestock depredations, use of non-lethal tools, outreach, budget, and policy activities.

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**Policy Issue(s) you are bringing to the Commission for consideration:**

NA - briefing only.

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**Public involvement process used and what you learned:**

NA - briefing only.

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**Action requested (identify the specific Commission decisions you are seeking):**

NA - briefing only.

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**Draft motion language:**

NA - briefing only.

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**Justification for Commission action:**

NA - briefing only.

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**Communications plan:**

- News Release
  - WDFW Website
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