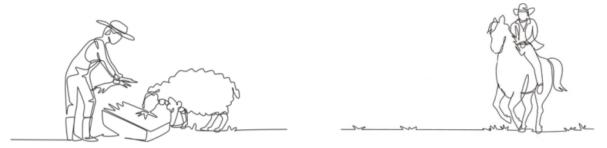
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Livestock producer perceptions of predators and predator damage management methods



You are being asked to participate in a research study. The purpose of the study is to evaluate the methods, strategies, and outcomes associated with large predator damage management you or Wildlife Services have conducted on or around your livestock operation. The large predators of focus in this study are wolves, black bears, grizzly bears, and mountain lions (*not* coyotes). To participate in the study, simply fill out this questionnaire; we expect the questionnaire will take you approximately 45 minutes to complete. Your participation is voluntary, and you may skip any question you do not wish to answer or withdraw at any time.

We are not collecting directly identifying information, and when we report and share the data with others, we will combine demographic data from everyone who takes the survey. You must be 18 years or older to participate. If you have any questions about the research, you may reach out to the following researcher:

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