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Agenda: Klamath Falls, OR Workshop August 23rd, 2023

8:00 AM - Doors Open

8:30 AM - Welcome: Commissioner Henslee, Paul Wolf and Western Landowners Alliance (WLA)

8:40 AM - USFWS Wolf Update: Elizabeth Willy

8:50 AM – ODFW Wolf Update: Sam Dodenhoff

9:00 AM - USDA Wildlife Services (Oregon): Paul Wolf, SW District Supervisor

9:10 AM - OCA: Wolf Committee Update -

- Co-Chair Veril Nelson
- Jackson County Stockmen's Randy Wolf
- Klamath County Cattlemen

9:30 AM – 4Cs Framework, Conflict Reduction Consortium, NRCS State and National Conservation Innovation Grants: Bre Owens, Western Landowners Alliance

9:50 AM - Questions & Discussion

10:10 AM - Break

10:30 AM – Livestock Guardian Dogs, Camera Traps, Community Collaboration and Communication: Cat Urbigkit, WY Rancher, Author, Photographer

12:00 PM - LUNCH

1:00 PM - Panel - moderated by WLA:

- USDA Wildlife Services (Minnesota) John Hart and Wes Johnson, MN Producer
- ODFW (Depredation Investigations) Sam Dodenhoff and Klamath-area Producer
- USDA Wildlife Services (California) Bill Derik and CA Producer

2:30 PM - Break

2:50 PM – Livestock Guardian Dogs and Predator Interaction Experiences: Erik Kalsta, WLA

3:10 PM - Fladry and Range Riding-

- USDA Wildlife Services (Montana), Zack May
- John and Kate Hanson (MT Cattle Ranchers)

4:00 PM - Panel Discussion: Q&A

5:00 PM - Wrap up and Social Break

6:00 PM - Dinner

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Agenda: Klamath Falls, OR Workshop August 24th, 2023

8:00 AM - Doors Open

8:30 AM - Welcome

9:00 AM - ODA Update with Sunny Summers (virtually)

9:15 - Klamath County Commissioner - Dave Henslee

9:25 - Jackson and Klamath Counties Wolf Committee Updates - Randy Wolf

9:30 AM - WS Operational Support Staff (National Update): Elizabeth Miller - Q&A

10:00 - Break

10:20 AM - NWRC (Predator Research): Dustin Ranglack - Q&A

11:00 AM - NWRC: Human Dimensions Researcher: Meg Cross - Q&A

12:00 PM - Lunch

1:00 PM Jared Hedelius: State Director Idaho Range Rider WS - Q&A

2:00 PM - Paul Wolf, Example of Collaboration: Drones and Other Efforts in Southern OR

NRCS/WS collaboration, USFWS, and county committees

2:45 PM - Panel Discussion: Q&A with Speakers

- Discussion Where do we go next?
- WS, USFWS Frank Weaver, ODFW, ODA, County Committees, WLA
- Producer ideas
- Future events, topics and resources

3:30 PM - Wrap up