Chairman of Information & Education Subcommittee of the Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee
Press Releases

Fish and Game will take public comment on proposed grizzly rules Oct. 12 in Boise Monday, October 3, 2016 - 3:00 PM MDT

Here’s what you need to know about Fish and Game’s check stations Monday, October 3, 2016 - 10:33 AM MDT

Wildlife and wildfires, it’s a complicated relationship Thursday, September 29, 2016 - 11:08 PM MDT

Sockeye roundup ends a long journey and helps ensure the next generation

In the Spotlight

NOTICE OF DATA BREACH

Dear IDFG Test:

ACTIVE/Outdoors operates the online application you’re used to apply for or purchase your state hunting or fishing license in Idaho, Oregon or Washington. We are committed to protecting your information and operating with transparency. This notice is to inform you that we recently became aware of a potential incident that could have exposed your personal information and we are taking all steps to provide you with information regarding the incident, steps we have taken since discovering the incident, and information on what you can do.

What Happened? Although we have made and continue to make significant investments in technology and security, on August 22, we became aware that we were the victim of an unplanned and unlawful access to our online hunting and fishing licensing applications in Idaho, Oregon and Washington.

What Information Was Involved? After thorough investigation it has been determined that your name, address, date-of-birth, driver’s license number with physical description information, and full Social Security number may have been subject to unauthorized access. No credit card information, financial information or bank account information was involved. At this time, ACTIVE/Outdoors is not aware of any fraud associated with this incident. The threat was isolated to only our hunting and fishing online applications in the above mentioned 3 states, and only in accounts that were created prior to July 2008 for Washington customers, and July 2007 for Idaho and Oregon customers.

What Are We Doing? Protecting customer information has been and continues to be a high priority for us. Upon discovery of this unplanned access, and consistent with our zero-tolerance security procedures, we took steps to secure

Regions

Parshall
Clearwater
Southwest
Magic Valley
Southeast
Upper Snake
Salmon

Seasons and Rules

2015 & 2016 BIG GAME
The North American Model of Wildlife Conservation

Technical Review 12-04
December 2012
Concept of Public Trust

There are some things so valuable to all of us that they cannot be owned by any individual.

In the United States, these things are:

- Air
- Fish
- Water
- Wildlife
North American Model of Wildlife Conservation

7 Sisters for Conservation

- Maintain wildlife as a public trust resource
- Prevent injurious commerce in dead wildlife products
- Allocate wildlife democratically and by law
- Ensure wildlife is used for legitimate purpose
- Preserve hunting opportunity for all
- Recognize and manage wildlife as an international resource
- Insure that science is the basis for conservation policy
Gray Wolf Recovery

In 1995, 15 wolves were trapped in Alberta, Canada and released in Central Idaho, another 14 were released in Yellowstone National Park.

In 1996, 20 were trapped in Canada and released in Idaho and 17 in Yellowstone.

Wolves were allowed to enter on their own from Canada into Northwest Montana.

State of Idaho was not involved in recovery and state employees were not allowed to even speak about it until 2002!
$1.4 billion per year for Idaho’s economy, supports over 14,000 jobs and is the second most popular outdoor activity in Idaho (behind camping) because we have such outstanding wildlife resources.
Pre 1970 ~300 Bears
Some Quick Grizzly Numbers For 2016:

- Northern Continental Divide Ecosystem – **about 930**
- Yellowstone Ecosystem – **Between 757 and 1150** *
- Cabinet/Yaak Ecosystem – **about 50**
- Selkirks Ecosystem – **about 30**
- North Cascades Ecosystem – **less than 20**
- Bitterroot Ecosystem - **None Known**
Of bears and biases: scientific judgment and the fate of Yellowstone’s grizzlies

"Best Available Science"
BUŠTE MILÍ K TUČNÝM ČUŠOM
nikdy neviete kedy vám môžu zachrániť život

HEY, TOM, I JUST REALIZED THAT I DON'T NEED TO OUTRUN THE BEAR; I ONLY NEED TO OUTRUN YOU.