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Committee: Senate Committee On Natural Resources and
Wildfire
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I am in support of this bill because Murphy Ranch has been owned and operated by my in-laws since 1918 and then in 1996 my husband took over (which all are deceased now) and, now I am the owner. My son, Brady, is the manager. All of these years, wolves were not around Lake County and, now, we have them around here. Our neighbors have lost calves to them and we, as ranchers, cannot afford to lose any animals.

Not only do we lose them by death but the stress can cause the cow to abort the calves or not breeding back.