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On Behalf Of:

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I am writing to express my strong opposition to this bill. Increasing the compensation of lost livestock above the market value will entirely disincentivize efforts to utilize non lethal management of wolves. We need healthy populations of predators throughout our state to achieve environmental health within all of our ecosystems, and we must all learn to co-habitate with wildlife. We need instead to invest in preventative care to reduce both livestock and wildlife loss.