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Comments: Hi

Don't believe everything you read or hear from the Wild Sheep Group. Unfortunately I learned a lot when they showed up to a Fish & Game meeting in Alaska.

Number 1: There are a handful of Research Scientists in North America working on issues. Key people in each state talking with these researchers. Did you know WSF did NOT proactively start testing and then didn't provide the actual samples to the Research Scientist without prodding?

Number 2: Wild Goats and Sheep are easily stressed. Yes those hikers, bikers, etc are part of the issue. When an animal is sick they need a safe place to rest and recover. Shelter, food, and water. This will take some ingenuity to provide such locations for these anti social reclusive animals.

Number 3: A lot is unknown.

Number 4: What is known for a fact is excellent sheep and goat management is key. Working with groups like the North American Pack Goat Association and small goat farms is key to figuring out what can help the wild animals.

Number 5: No Wildfire mitigation equals larger more destructive wildfires that will kill the wild herds.

Number 6: Effective Separation reads good till you realize as far as WSF is concerned this includes actively areas where a wild/sheep goat haven't stepped foot in 50 years. No leaping yet, and wild sheep/goats would need to travel in, around, and between houses and towns to ever step foot there again.

Number 7: Zoos: Zoos have helped wild populations recover from the verge of disappearing. By identifying a key location for each type of animal. Working with the local farmer to create a breeding group that can then repopulate. This is key.

Thanks for Reading

WSF asks for what seems reasonable then use that to pressure and create unreasonable demands.