

# **Idaho Grizzly Bear Depredation Compensation Program**

## **Contact Page for 2026 Validated Grizzly Bear Depredation losses**

Name of Entity/Livestock Producer: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address (if available): \_\_\_\_\_

Non-reimbursed Validated grizzly bear depredation losses in 2026 being claimed:

Cows \_\_\_\_\_ Calves \_\_\_\_\_ Ewes \_\_\_\_\_ Lambs \_\_\_\_\_ Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Where incident happened: Public, State, or Private Ownership

*(specify which public agency: USFS, BLM, etc; allotment name/#, etc. if applicable)*

Are you being compensated for our 2026 **Validated** losses through a federal program (LIP)? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please characterize that compensation (animal classification and numbers).

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Are you interested in getting help with reducing conflict or preventative measures?  
(Offsetting cost of a range rider, livestock guardian dogs, Electric fencing  
(temporary/permanent, bear proof containers, etc.)

Yes

No

### **Please include the following information with this form.**

1. Documentation validating livestock loss (State Authorized Investigator Depredation Investigative Report).

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Signature of Claimant

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Date

**Submit this sheet to the Office of Species Conservation (OSC)**

**Contact person: Joshua Uriarte**

**Phone: 208-332-1556**

**Email: joshua.uriarte@osc.idaho.gov (Email is the quickest to submit this form)**

**If needed: Mailing Address: 304 N. 8th St. Ste. 149 Boise, Idaho 83709**

**\*Once this sheet is received by OSC, you will be contacted for next steps in the claim process.**

## **Idaho Grizzly Depredation Compensation Program- 2026**

**Claims for compensation for 2026 losses are due no later than December 31, 2026.**

Please submit claims and supporting documentation to:

State of Idaho, Office of Species Conservation,  
Attention: Joshua Uriarte  
304 N. 8<sup>th</sup> St., Suite 149  
Boise, Idaho 83702  
[Joshua.uriarte@osc.idaho.gov](mailto:Joshua.uriarte@osc.idaho.gov)  
208-332-1556 (PH)/ 208-334-2172 (Fax)

Are you interested in reducing conflict before it happens?

If so, you might be able to get funding for preventative measures such as permanent electric fence, temporary electric fence, reinforced grain bin doors, feed storage and other supplies that are proven to reduce grizzly bear conflict. Each livestock operation is different and has its own set of challenges. Due to this, the program will consider funding other tools for attractant storage. This program is administered as a cost share program and has a match requirement. Funding is available to producers living in Bonner County, Boundary County, and in Eastern Idaho near the Greater Yellowstone Grizzly Bear Recovery Zone.

For more information about Idaho's Grizzly Bear Prevention Program and application process please visit the OSC website or contact Austin Terrell at 208-571-2052.

<https://species.idaho.gov/programs/grizzly-bear-conflict-funding/>