## #1

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:52 **IP Address:** 66.91.26.104

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Q1

Name (optional):

Erich Winkler

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

You Must Not Allow Grizzy Bears t be trophy hunted. They are beautiful animals that deserve respect from humans not slaughter by destructive and self centered humans!

# #2

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Wednesday, April 22, 2020 11:59:48 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:01:39 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:51 **IP Address:** 68.6.123.115

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect and stop the hunting of Grizzly Bears ASAP! Thank you! Jill

# #3

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:00:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:01:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:24 **IP Address:** 99.203.31.174

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Q1

Name (optional):

ken gunther

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save every last grizzly bear possible.

#4

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:02:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:03:02 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:33 **IP Address:** 71.93.52.49

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the grizzlies

# #5

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:01:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:04:18 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:54 **IP Address:** 217.87.74.244

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Q1

Name (optional):

Liza

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Be Veg Go Green to Save Our World Be Veg Go Green to Save Human Race Be Veg Go Green to Save Our Children

http://suprememastertv.com/de1/v/88425789933.html

#6

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:01:36 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:05:28 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:51 **IP Address:** 73.169.39.24

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lynn Mattson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to murder grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. I respectfully demand that you stop all trophy hunting of any species immediately.

#7

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:04:40 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:05:29 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:49 **IP Address:** 96.238.41.219

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting of any kind anymore

#8

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:04:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:05:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:46 **IP Address:** 14.203.61.48

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gwen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop MURDERING the grizzly bear, they were here before you, you are encroaching on their habitat. You are the invaders, the problem source. LEAVE THEM ALONE you ignoramous!!!!

## #9

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:04:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:06:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:26 **IP Address:** 68.206.111.86

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Q1

Name (optional):

Juan Hernandez gari

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We Must save Wild animals from Extinction, if we save them ,we save earth!!

# #10

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:06:00 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:07:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:12 **IP Address:** 69.181.172.21

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Q1

Name (optional):

Esther Faber

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Short the survival of these bears who are intrinsic to our interdependent ecosystem. No bear hints.

# #11

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:04:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:07:33 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:04 **IP Address:** 102.68.77.130

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ed Loosli

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Whether Montana's grizzly bears are listed as "Endangered" or not, they should remain a FULLY PROTECTED species (like bald eagles) and there should be absolutely no hunting of any kind permitted by the State of Montana to target grizzly bears.

# #12

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:05:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:08:00 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:08 **IP Address:** 71.81.43.60

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Q1

Name (optional):

Celeste Watt

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #13

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:07:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:08:59 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:01:36

 IP Address:
 162.222.31.230

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Q1

Name (optional):

Paul S

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW THE GREAT GRIZZLY TO BE HUNTED TO EXTINCTION. THIS IS NOT HOW TO MANAGE A GREAT ICON. LET THEM ROAM FREE. THEY HAVE BEEN HERE A LOT LONGER THAN THE WHITE MEN HAVE!

# #14

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:07:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:09:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:15

**IP Address:** 178.115.131.151

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Q1

Name (optional):

Manfred Schmalenberger

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please no Trophy Hunting!!

## #15

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Wednesday, April 22, 2020 11:58:57 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:09:21 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:10:23 **IP Address:** 47.25.110.121

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nila Gerlett

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of the Grizzly Bears. These majestic animals should be allowed to continue growing their populations, having previously been brought to the edge of extinction. These great bears are a national treasure and should be safeguarded from the devastation of the disgusting trophy hunters who kill innocent animals for a cheap thrill and bragging rights. These animals deserve to live their lives undisturbed in the wilderness so they can flourish and remain an important part of our country's natural wildlife for generations to come.

# #16

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:49 **IP Address:** 173.63.35.240

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gerry Masurat

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were pushed to the edge of extinction before, have still not recovered and have a low reproductive rate. They are a keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live and should be allowed to fluctuate according to conditions in their habitats not by a human based population limit.

# #17

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:07:03 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:10:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:02 **IP Address:** 173.70.129.171

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Q1

Name (optional):

eric whitman

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

just leave the bears alone.

## #18

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:08:59 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:11:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:37

**IP Address:** 209.166.93.242

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Q1

Name (optional):

Heather Haverfield

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear is not only featured on Wilderness Watch's logo, but the Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams. It is barbaric to Trophy Hunt them. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #19

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:09:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:12:05 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:59 **IP Address:** 67.249.198.133

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Donald Goppert** 

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

To the Council: I am completely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears. Please give mercy, compassion, kindness, respect and very strong protections for these precious, sensitive, innocent animals. Please help to prevent their suffering, exploitation, torture, abuse and slaughter.

# #20

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:10:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:12:06 AM

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 00:01:38

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 35.139.57.53

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cynthia Scionti

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing bears.

## #21

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Wednesday, April 22, 2020 11:56:16 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:12:08 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:15:51 **IP Address:** 68.203.45.125

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #22

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:31 **IP Address:** 71.93.72.120

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Q1

Name (optional):

Malgorzata Picinska

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose bear hunt.

# #23

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:12:13 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:13:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:30 **IP Address:** 172.91.214.15

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Marie Smith

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP having no empathy for our wildlife -- people are cruel.

# #24

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:12:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:13:44 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:12 **IP Address:** 96.81.155.225

Page 1

Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop killing our endangered wildlife. Biodiversity is a fact for all of our survival.

# #25

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:13:13 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:14:04 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:50 **IP Address:** 71.93.72.120

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting!! It's 21st century!!!

## #26

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:13:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:14:33 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:09 **IP Address:** 73.162.132.23

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Erin Howard

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Thank you.

# #27

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:14:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:15:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:27 **IP Address:** 98.167.8.107

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose Hunting of Grizzly Bear In Montana.

## #28

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:14:04 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:16:09 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:05 **IP Address:** 96.39.187.214

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing grizzly bears must not happen! Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #29

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:15:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:16:29 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:06 **IP Address:** 67.170.167.170

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rita Castillo

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO trophy hunting of grizzlies!

Trophy hunting is just perverse!

# #30

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Wednesday, April 22, 2020 11:59:51 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:16:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:17:00 **IP Address:** 73.114.126.55

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Q1

Name (optional):

Peter

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect our Wildlife especially bears, wolves and coyotes

# #31

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:16:10 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:17:35 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:24 **IP Address:** 77.47.111.120

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hello!

Please stop to destroy our world, immediately!!!

## #32

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:16:42 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:18:00 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:18

**IP Address:** 198.183.167.143

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Q1

Name (optional):

Teresa

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #33

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 Time Spent:
 00:08:03

 IP Address:
 73.164.212.190

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Is it more important to have grizzly bears in nature or to have a grizzly trophy on the wall in you home? The choice is simple to me. Protect the grizzlies so they can live in their natural habitat and be a part of the nature's cycle.

# #34

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 Time Spent:
 00:02:17

 IP Address:
 87.67.211.81

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lallemand

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly is essential to regulate Wilderness

# #35

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:21:47 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:22:40 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:00:53

 IP Address:
 81.103.230.251

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joe

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly hunt, these bears bring in far more alive than they do dead! Stop the mindless killing to please the few!

# #36

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:22:17 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:23:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:49 **IP Address:** 90.40.37.181

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Hans Koestler

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing wonderful animals is no way to preserve this beautiful world.

# #37

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:21:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:23:13 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:01:16

 IP Address:
 172.112.79.239

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

eliza johansen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't be a monster. Be good to the animals.

## #38

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:18:44 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:23:34 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:49 **IP Address:** 157.46.226.234

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Q1

Name (optional):

sharon Wojno

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the wild animals. IF you don't treat them right, why should God save the human animal with all his destructive ways.

## #39

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:21:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:24:03 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:45 **IP Address:** 50.1.98.139

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Apex predators like grizzlies face enough dangers as it is, trophy hunting will only decrease their numbers quicker.

# #40

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:23:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:24:30 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:41 **IP Address:** 173.90.170.255

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Ms Linda A Heath

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We should be protecting these magnificant animals, not hunting them!

# #41

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:21:41 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:24:32 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:02:51

 IP Address:
 82.64.123.85

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

antoineParmentier

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No to bear hunting! They're an essential element of ecosystems, and should not be hunted for convenience, pleasure, or because their encroached natural habitats force them to be closer to human populations

# #42

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:21:21 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:25:49 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:28

**IP Address:** 112.213.223.162

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Malgorzata Schmidt MD, PhD

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Planet belongs to the next generations of all animals, including H. sapiens.

# #43

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:21:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:25:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:38 **IP Address:** 67.160.124.67

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Q1

Name (optional):

John Weyhrich, Missoula

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please help the grizzly bear to fully recover by NOT allowing grizzly bear trophy hunting. Thank you.

## #44

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:20:25 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:26:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:47 **IP Address:** 70.171.21.78

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #45

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:24:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:26:30 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:24 **IP Address:** 67.45.112.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

alan Rider

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We visit Montana to see wildlife including Grizzly Bears.

We have NEVER had any problems with wildlife viewing as we keep a safe distance away. Binoculars work great!

# #46

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:25:13 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:26:42 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:29 **IP Address:** 54.175.9.90

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Q1

Name (optional):

Connie Raper

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No to grizzly hunting; they are magnificent creatures and should be left alone.

## #47

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:19:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:26:51 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:58 **IP Address:** 73.158.130.96

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Paula Zerzan

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Beas are a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

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If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear..

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #48

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

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If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

# #49

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:30:21 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:31:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:03 **IP Address:** 98.179.106.16

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Q1

Name (optional):

Yvonne Marley

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Earth needs to heal. Please stop hunting.

# #50

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:29:55 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:31:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:45 **IP Address:** 47.196.136.25

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems where they live. They should not be hunted for sport.

# #51

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:29:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:32:33 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:09 **IP Address:** 76.178.94.218

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Q1

Name (optional):

Doug Wagoner

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am a recent retiree from the U.S. Forest Service after 30+ years of service on the Idaho Panhandle National Forest. I say no to any hunting of the grizzly bear!

# #52

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:31:14 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:33:31 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:16 **IP Address:** 197.231.196.69

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Q1

Name (optional):

eline dent

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

BEARS HAVE A IGHT TO LIVE THEIR LIVES IN A SAFE PROTECTED ENVIRONMENT WITH NO HUNTING FOR FUN SO STOP NTHE HUNTING TODAY RIGHT NOW

# #53

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:29:56 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:34:03 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:06 **IP Address:** 67.173.195.33

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sandra Edwins

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These magnificent creatures do not bother people unless the people intrude on their space or get too close to their babies. There are not that many of them. Please leave them be.

# #54

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:27:40 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:34:11 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:31 **IP Address:** 24.60.121.22

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Q1

Name (optional):

Carol Nealy

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect the Great Bear. Do not allow the progress to save the bears to be ruined. Grizzly Bears are critical for the forest habitat and no trophy hunters should be tramping through the Wilderness to kill them.

## #55

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:31:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:38:09 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:23 **IP Address:** 172.91.196.173

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sara Fogan

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

In addition to being an iconic species in their own right, Grizzlies form an important part of the ecosystem. They balancie the population of prey species in a specific habitat. Like other Apex predators, these bears select weaker (ill, injured) animals as their prey. If grizzly hunting is allowed to resume, no doubt the bigger, healthier "prize" bears will be chosen, but this will weaken the genetic pool of these predators as well. Ultimately, as the stronger, more effective hunters are selected out of the predator/prey balance, the population of prey animals will grow exponentially and land management will ultimately have to look for a way to manage those populations, too. Ultimately, human attempts to balance these populations will be far less effectively than the bears would do the same job. Please do not allow these hunts to go forward!

# #56

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:36:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:38:56 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:06 **IP Address:** 50.80.85.39

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Cheesman

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

What earthly reason is there to kill grizzly bears.? Meat. No trophy. Yes. Sick. Yes!!!

## #57

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:32:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:39:00 AM

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 00:06:37

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 73.223.64.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lauren Schiffman

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I urge you not to allow grizzly bear trophy hunting. These bears are protected; their numbers still need to recover, and hunting will not allow that to happen. They are precious and critical members of the ecosystem there. Please allow them to thrive.

# #58

## COMPLETE

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Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:38:08 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:39:15 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:07 **IP Address:** 104.60.177.153

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## Q1

Name (optional):

chris brown, you know who .

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect grizzly bears and wildlife.

chris b

## #59

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:29:56 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:39:16 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

In light of our current self-induced mass extinction, the idea of trophy hunting ANY species is unacceptable, much less vital apex predators. Entire ecosystems rely on them to maintain balance. Please protect grizzly bears so that they, and all the other species who share their habitat, have every chance to thrive. Thank you.

# #60

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:31:33 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:39:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:08:07 **IP Address:** 174.58.250.195

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kenn

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Traditional instructions were giveN to first nations indigenous people/ thousands of years before conquests came,, killing Grizzles (without their permission of giving themselves)..is dangerous and degrading to anyone killing a bear ,, bears are equal to humans / its a murder to do so by a whim or trophy hunting,,/ at this time bears are to be protected (not to be "culled "or killed")

# #61

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:39:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:40:28 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:12 **IP Address:** 108.67.191.44

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Brett Dennison** 

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the hunting of grizzly bears

# #62

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:39:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:40:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:02 **IP Address:** 45.51.137.215

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Meraz

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #63

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:03 **IP Address:** 67.199.176.240

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

God didn't put his creatures on this earth so idiot people could hunt them!!!

# #64

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:04 **IP Address:** 99.199.8.159

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nora Davidson

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The trophy hunt for Grizzly bears removes the best of DNA from the wild and is therefore not commensurate with any good practice.

# #65

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:58 **IP Address:** 71.202.212.9

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Q1

Name (optional):

Brenda Lewis

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect grizzly bears from slaughter. Keep them from ending up like those that once inhabited California.

# #66

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:47:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:49:22 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:57 **IP Address:** 63.155.94.149

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Q1

Name (optional):

Chun Vena

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bear should not be hunted in the lower 48

## #67

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:49:54 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:51:09 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:14 **IP Address:** 88.202.186.59

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #68

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:48:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:51:31 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:43 **IP Address:** 24.107.148.25

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gabe Valdez

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is a destructive, antiquated and ecologically indefensible practice. ALL TROPHY HUNTING SHOULD BE BANNED.

# #69

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:52:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:53:49 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:57 **IP Address:** 99.66.114.128

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

trophy hunting is a sin and those wanting to do it need to be shot - dead

# #70

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:53:10 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:54:11 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:01 **IP Address:** 46.188.149.28

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Q1

Name (optional):

Andreja

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Thank you for helping pure animals

## #71

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:49:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:54:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:30 **IP Address:** 23.243.4.243

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Q1

Name (optional):

Graciela Huth

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing animals of other species is not an sport it is a crime. Hopefully soon we will get to enact laws ending this abuse. Life is sacred not matter the species. Killing is not an entertainment whoever needs it definitely has a mental illness.

# #72

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:54:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:55:55 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:44 **IP Address:** 97.73.244.211

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Q1

Name (optional):

Keith Hall

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzley bears are for the environment not trophy hunting

# #73

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:55:27 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:56:10 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:43 **IP Address:** 99.203.92.166

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Q1

Name (optional):

Taylor Webber

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

we must protect these animals and NOT hunt them!

# #74

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:54:13 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:56:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:14 **IP Address:** 24.22.219.153

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are top of the food chain. It has been proven that the entire ecosystem is balanced when predators are present in adequate numbers. We can coexist with them!

# #75

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:03 **IP Address:** 47.202.6.43

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Q1

Name (optional):

George Durland

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Just say no to Grizzly Bear hunting

# #76

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:10 **IP Address:** 104.35.156.70

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Q1

Name (optional):

Pilar

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop killing the bears. They have done nothing wrong. Do onto others.....

## #77

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:49:31 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:01:14 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:11:43 **IP Address:** 73.170.114.140

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michael Tomczyszyn

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I would like to respectfully submit that any proposal for allowing hunting of grizzlies, even if contingent upon de-listing from the ESA, is premature and imprudent. Grizzly numbers are still too low, their habitat range too constricted, their reproductive rate too shaky; in short, the odds of the species' survival are far too grim for any such proposal to truly be wise. It cannot be in the best interests of western biodiversity to needlessly allow such a threat to proceed, and I fervently hope that cooler heads prevail so that this proposal can be put to rest.

## #78

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:41 **IP Address:** 136.50.72.129

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Q1

Name (optional):

Norma

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #79

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:49 **IP Address:** 67.212.108.146

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Q1

Name (optional):

Stephanie

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This is a call to heal our land and our people

## #80

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:59:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:02:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:38 **IP Address:** 71.9.246.166

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Q1

Name (optional):

Janna Caughron

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop trophy hunting of any type of bear, wolves, and pronghorns. We need to restore wildlife and their habitats. No one needs to display animal parts.

# #81

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:37 **IP Address:** 42.153.48.76

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please no trophy hunting

# #82

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 80.182.51.173

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Q1

Name (optional):

Silvia Bertano

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save grizzly bears from hunting! Protect them!

# #83

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:00:52

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 174.222.135.29

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Q1

Name (optional):

Valerie

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the Grizzly Hunts!

# #84

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:06:43 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:07:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:57 **IP Address:** 172.119.86.131

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jan

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Ban Bear Hunts.

# #85

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:07:45 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:08:45 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:59

**IP Address:** 108.214.156.137

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rusty Rollings

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't kill the grizzlies!

## #86

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:53:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:10:15 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:16:56 **IP Address:** 63.238.236.153

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ashea Mills

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a guide in Yellowstone for the past 25 years, I have had decades of experience both living with, hiking with and teaching about grizzlies. I am acutely aware of their behavior, biology, population status, and political status. I strongly encourage you to prevent trophy hunting until we can better manage the annual deaths (close to 50 in MT for several years running.) If you cannot sustain the political pressure to hold off on a trophy hunt, I strongly suggest you keep it to only one or two, since you know the total will be 10x that high. That already feels like too many, but I also know people are chomping at the bit to take out a grizzly. I get it will likely happen. But I feel like their umbrella species-status, how much they affect other species of both plants and animals, and how amazing it is to live with them should allow you to take a moment and slow down with pursuing a hunt. Thank you.

# #87

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:32 **IP Address:** 50.81.243.93

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Q1

Name (optional):

Catherine Loren

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the killing of grizzly bears!!!

## #88

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:05:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:11:59 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:09 **IP Address:** 76.167.232.142

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Steven Byrd

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not hunt this magnificent animal. Grizzlies should be allowed to roam free. Being a part of the ecosystem is very important for the Grizzly. Hunting them would upset the balance in nature they were meant to become.

Thank You,

I am a former resident of the great state of Montana Steven Byrd

# #89

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:51 **IP Address:** 66.110.198.166

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jan Yates

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please,no Grizzly Hunting.

# #90

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:13:18 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:13:46 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:28 **IP Address:** 98.176.138.239

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Q1

Name (optional):

George Ludwig

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No hunting bears!

## #91

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:12:56 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:14:42 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:46 **IP Address:** 86.239.119.89

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Q1

Name (optional):

ann burton

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I do NOT agree to hunting the bears. Please do NOT let it happen. thank you,

## #92

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:12:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:14:57 AM

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Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

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Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #93

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Irene

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

In light of the threats to wildlife habitats and endangered animals, I am writing to please ban trophy hunting of the iconic grizzly bears. It's cruel and disruptive to the ecosystem. If a mother bear is killed then the cubs have little chance of survival. Are we so insensitive and barbaric that we need to kill for entertainment?

## #94

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

The State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council must entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #95

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:15:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:17:18 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:03 **IP Address:** 98.33.138.205

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Now is your chance to raise your voice for grizzly bears and tell the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council that you are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #96

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:14:03 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:17:45 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:42

**IP Address:** 108.185.220.215

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Q1

Name (optional):

James

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is archaic and barbaric. As a past and future visitor to Yellowstone and a future visitor to Glacier NP, I want to see grizzly bears and other wildlife thrive. Grizzlies are keystone species that helps shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. I fully support grizzly bear protections and strongly oppose any trophy hunting of the species.

## #97

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:15:02 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:18:49 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:47 **IP Address:** 174.192.19.150

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tracey Laszloffy

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am strongly opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #98

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:13:30 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:19:02 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:05:32

 IP Address:
 172.58.23.185

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect our grizzly bears. Once they disappear, they can not be brought back. All creatures and their habitats are essential to earths survival. Thank you.

## #99

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:19:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:19:46 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:40 **IP Address:** 172.58.37.111

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect the grizzlies.

## #100

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:12:13 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:19:50 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:07:37 **IP Address:** 68.109.186.177

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lisa Wilhelm

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As apex predators, grizzly bears are crucial to the health of the ecosystems in which they live. Humans nearly brought grizzlies to extinction decades ago, and they have been slow to recover. Even now, they do not inhabit nearly the range they once did. These bears already face enough threats to their survival. Trophy hunting should not be permitted when grizzlies are delisted as an endangered species. They should be allow to thrive in the wilderness without the risk of someone killing them merely for the thrill of it. There is no scientific reason to allow the killing of grizzlies.

# #101

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:22:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:24:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:25 **IP Address:** 74.76.65.72

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Q1

Name (optional):

stephen woodard

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please halt legislation that allows for grizzly bear hunting.

# #102

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:23:54 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:24:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:29

**IP Address:** 178.119.251.144

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Q1

Name (optional):

Palles Natacha

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to save the bears NOW!

# #103

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:23:25 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:25:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:14 **IP Address:** 31.49.194.45

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Q1

Name (optional):

Renate Faber

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do NOT let loose Trophy hunting! What is the use of it, except bolstering big egos?

## #104

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:24:12 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:26:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:54 **IP Address:** 71.94.26.78

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I very strongly oppose grizzly bear hunting in Montana. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs entirely contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing grizzlies to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. We must focus our efforts on increasing their numbers and not allowing trophy hunting for the bears' and, in fact, the entire ecosystem's sake.

# #105

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:25:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:26:21 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:52 **IP Address:** 66.205.133.228

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Q1

Name (optional):

Melanie

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop hunting grizzlies! We need to be kinder to animals and the environment!

# #106

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

 Started:
 Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:25:33 AM

 Last Modified:
 Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:27:09 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:36 **IP Address:** 176.127.64.88

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Q1

Name (optional):

Domenica Ott

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is not much wildlife left in the US nor anywhere. Please leave the remains of nature alone, we all need them. Thank you.

# #107

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:27:02 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:27:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:40 **IP Address:** 94.49.67.127

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Tony Meinerding** 

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No. No hunting. Let the Grizzlies alone!

Thank you

## #108

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

 Started:
 Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:23:20 AM

 Last Modified:
 Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:27:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:32 **IP Address:** 73.213.15.77

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #109

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:26:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:28:44 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:01:51

 IP Address:
 107.77.202.221

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Q1

Name (optional):

Louis Botel

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please leave the bears on peace . The Earth is the Lord's, and the fullness there of.

# #110

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:28:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:29:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:21 **IP Address:** 50.39.112.206

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Q1

Name (optional):

billie ambrose

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I love all wildlife, and this is wrong

# #111

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:29:15 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:29:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:25 **IP Address:** 98.234.16.203

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

# #112

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:29:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:30:17 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:01:00

 IP Address:
 107.77.202.221

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The bears do not need more challenges. Please leave them alone.

# #113

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:31:54 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:32:18 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:24 **IP Address:** 174.62.111.108

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please keep our wild animals on earth.

# #114

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:34:39 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:35:51 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:12 **IP Address:** 172.114.68.29

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Q1

Name (optional):

Harlan Lebo

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The time has come to stop the senseless slaughter of Grizzly Bears. Trophy hunting must come to an end.

# #115

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:35:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:35:53 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:00:41

 IP Address:
 72.231.173.107

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Q1

Name (optional):

judith hoppe

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

give our animals a break, please.

# #116

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:36:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:37:11 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:00 **IP Address:** 67.82.198.83

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nicholas Longo

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP THE GRIZZLY BEAR HUNT

# #117

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:31:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:38:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:07:12 **IP Address:** 99.179.145.99

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Q1

Name (optional):

Doris Shultz

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We are entering the 5th big extinction of Earth but we can stop this by not allowing Trophy Hunting of species that are very close to extinction. Please rethink the murdering of our wildlife that deserve their part on this Earth.

# #118

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:37:38 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:38:38 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:59 **IP Address:** 38.80.254.16

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Q1

Name (optional):

c james

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

ANIMALS ARE NOT TROPHIES!!!

# #119

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:37:42 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:39:11 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:29 **IP Address:** 67.82.198.83

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Q1

Name (optional):

Alysa Dreishpoon

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We all can save the Grizzly Bear, please; STOP THE HUNTING OF THE GRIZZLY BEAR.

# #120

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:37:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:40:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:01 **IP Address:** 108.64.112.255

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## Q1

Name (optional):

Kathy Sabatini

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please allow for scientific input and facts as you consider actins regarding grizzly bears. There are so many options that do not include killing.

# #121

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:39:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:41:46 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:23 **IP Address:** 67.82.198.83

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jean Pappas

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We as a whole can stop the Grizzly Bear hunt and together we can save the Grizzly. Unnecessary hunting is unethical and uncalled for. STOP THE HUNT TODAY!!!

# #122

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:39:13 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:42:04 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:50 **IP Address:** 92.11.205.237

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Q1

Name (optional):

CK Yoe

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow hunting of grizzly bears. They have been pushed to the brink of extinction in the recent past and they are still not safe. Allowing hunting would almost certainly tip them into grave risk of extinction.

# #123

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:41:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:42:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:04 **IP Address:** 23.83.129.168

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is unconscionable.

The contest is hardly fair. Nothing but murder.

# #124

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:40:00 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:42:58 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:02:57

 IP Address:
 98.184.205.180

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sheree

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hunting is not a sport. It's murder and its barbaric

# #125

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:41:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:44:16 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:47 **IP Address:** 73.93.225.68

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Eco-tourism is a multi-billion- dollar industry that shows exponential growth while hunting is not. Your state would garner more revenue over time should you keep grizzlies protected and, therefore, protect the ecosystem of your state.

# #126

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:43:10 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:45:38 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:02:28

 IP Address:
 71.33.211.112

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Q1

Name (optional):

Bobbie Knight

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect the bears

# #127

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:47:47 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:48:45 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:57 **IP Address:** 157.45.203.194

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please help these bears and conserve their habitats.

## #128

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

 Started:
 Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:50:35 AM

 Last Modified:
 Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:51:48 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:12

**IP Address:** 172.118.136.234

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sofia Arreguin

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #129

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:51:09 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:52:01 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:00:52

 IP Address:
 99.33.251.93

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jason Fish

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly bear hunts, Please!

# #130

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:47:40 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:54:43 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:07:02

 IP Address:
 72.184.236.182

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Q1

Name (optional):

A. S. Evans

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council,

Please do not allow "trophy hunting" of Montana grizzly bears. Grizzly bears are protected by the ESA, and need to be protected from becoming extinct.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A. S. Evans

# #131

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:51:37 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:58:25 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:47 **IP Address:** 73.20.2.94

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Q1

Name (optional):

PJ Murray

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a native Montanan and lifelong conservationist I strongly oppose grizzly hunting. The recovery is much too fragile and they have so many obstacles for habitat and mating- every grizzly is necessary. Also when tourists can return have safe and protected areas for people to view bears and make money off life instead of death. Thank you

## #132

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:51:46 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:58:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:07:05 **IP Address:** 107.77.232.149

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Q1

Name (optional):

Varday W. Campbell

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. To sum it up I am against Trophy Hunting of Grizzly Bears in the Great State of Montana.

## #133

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:55:53 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:58:59 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:06 **IP Address:** 174.224.134.20

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am totally opposed to a grizzly bear trophy hunting. These beautiful animal should be protected not hunted down. Montana is a beautiful state I have vacation there several weeks but I may have to rethink that depending on your environmental policies.

Thanks for listening Kevin Gaczewski

# #134

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:57:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:59:48 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:18

**IP Address:** 173.209.212.157

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No, please not on our lands...stop the greed and start caring for a healthy respectful environment

# #135

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:58:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:01:26 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:57 **IP Address:** 68.84.201.173

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Jean

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

By all means, do not allow grizzly hunts.

Life is difficult enough for wild animals. Do not insult them by allowing some jerks to kill them.

## #136

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:01:35 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:05:00 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:25 **IP Address:** 23.242.11.181

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Klara Firestone

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We have close friends in Bozeman and have been ferquent visitors over the years. We love Montana and would HATE to see it become one of those states that allows sport killing of wildlife. We NEED these iconic creatures to be saved for our children, grandchildren and on down the line to be able to see and enjoy their wonder and beauty.

PLEASE DON'T ALLOW THE SENSELESS KILLING OF THE ICONIC GRIZZLIES. THANK YOU.

# #137

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:04:34 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:05:48 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:14 **IP Address:** 45.25.203.218

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Q1

Name (optional):

Edh Stanley

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need more bears! No more hunting for black, brown or grizzly bears!

## #138

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:52:35 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:06:57 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:14:22

**IP Address:** 108.221.238.175

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Q1

Name (optional):

Terrell Rodefer

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let's just allow Nature's children have some space in which they can be themselves. If we find their numbers getting out of control, tranquilize some of them and neuter them. Life is so precious. Let's not painfully take the lives of these magnificent creatures.

# #139

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:08:28 AM
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 Time Spent:
 00:01:05

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 81.102.115.102

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## Q1

Name (optional):

Trudi Humphry-Rankin

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bloody disgusting, normal people would pay good money to see such beautiful animals in the wild, send the gun toting scum to the army if they want to shoot things!!

# #140

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:08:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:09:47 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 47.140.198.93

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears need to be protected.

## #141

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:13:44 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:15:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:34 **IP Address:** 67.190.94.163

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Tiffany M. Rapplean

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am formally informing you that I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #142

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jerily

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #143

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:16:08 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:16:33 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:25 **IP Address:** 84.144.91.54

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ursula Gruener

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It is such a shame! Mankind really does everything for money. Instead of feeling responsible to protect nature and all creatures you will allow the killing of living beings for idiots who only feel strong when they have a gun in their hand, shooting animals which have no chance to defend theirselves. What kind of world is it we are living in? Why do we destroy precious environment and all those who are living in it? Are we to stupid to recognize that everything we do will come back to us. We harm ourselves by our behavior but we are not willing to change it because of lovely money. What a shame! Please listen to your heart - in case you have one - and do not even think about allowing the killing of the grizzly bears, because they belong to nature and they help to shape the eco system in which they live. Therefore and for humanity reasons: NO TROPHY HUNTING!

# #144

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:17:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:18:14 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:42 **IP Address:** 78.20.161.105

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nadia corvers

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly hunt please

# #145

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:16:43 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:18:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:58 **IP Address:** 75.107.78.41

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dennis Miller

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO GRIZZLY HUNTS!!!

## #146

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:07:26 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:21:22 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:13:56 **IP Address:** 173.244.44.43

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Josh Laughtland

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm against all forms of trophy hunting for obvious reasons. As are most hunters and non-hunters alike. Especially in wilderness areas, which I have backpacked for years. Nearly all the trash I find and hike out comes from hunters. Some from recreational users, mostly fast packers and bikers. Allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears will increase the amounts of trash and human caused environmental damage. Additionally, opening up wilderness to trophy hunting after an increase in grizzly bear deaths over the past couple years risks damage to ecosystems and is not worth the risk.

# #147

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:21:01 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:22:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:36 **IP Address:** 76.254.59.62

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No one should hunt grizzly bears. They are way smarter than any Republican.

# #148

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:22:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:23:33 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:45

**IP Address:** 166.182.253.136

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Q1

Name (optional):

Terry Wolfe

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO TROPHY HUNTING PERIOD GRIZZLY BEARS IN PARTICULAR, PLEASE!!!!!!

# #149

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:24:39 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:25:51 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:12 **IP Address:** 47.144.204.49

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

WE are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #150

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:29:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:37 **IP Address:** 70.185.105.164

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Q1

Name (optional):

janet yesh

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP KILLING BEARS!!!!!!!!

# #151

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:28:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:30:26 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:37

**IP Address:** 176.199.253.154

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Q1

Name (optional):

A. Khachatrian

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

A categorical and inalterable NO! to Grizzly Bear hunting in Montana and elsewhere!

# #152

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:30:21 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:32:01 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:40 **IP Address:** 46.114.3.193

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karin Winterscheidt

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

# #153

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:00:32

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 84.139.206.139

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No bear hunting please!

# #154

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:32:21 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:33:33 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:11 **IP Address:** 88.26.49.201

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Gudy Terenzio** 

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I think mankind has done enough damage to nature and wildlife - please don't let them hunt the magnificent grizzly.

# #155

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:34:09 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:35:28 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:19 **IP Address:** 47.153.249.2

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Q1

Name (optional):

Patricia Day

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save the grizzlies!!

# #156

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:36:39 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:37:10 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:31 **IP Address:** 109.155.39.136

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Todd Chenore** 

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #157

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:35:19 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:42:59 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:07:40 **IP Address:** 107.77.205.129

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

C. Crashcup

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO grizzly bear hunting in any Wilderness.

Once there are 10x more bears than now, maybe allow a very limited "hunt" for real men where they use just a knife... no firearms, bows, or tech BS.

We'll see how many are just armchair trophy snobs.

# #158

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:54 **IP Address:** 24.16.123.57

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Blackwood

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Our wildlife needs to be protected. Citizens want Grizzly Bear left alone. Leave the ecosystem alone and protect wildlife.

# #159

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:44 **IP Address:** 174.239.0.156

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Q1

Name (optional):

diana miller

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I urge you to not allow trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas. Hunting grizzlies runs contrary to efforts to. increase grizzly bear numbers to allow the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #160

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:55:36

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 162.220.162.10

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save Grizzly bears and habitat.

#StayAtHome

#CancelTrump

[Disclosure: I am an old white man]

#ClimateCrisis

#StayAtHome

#SaveTheBees

#FridaysForFuture

Learn to Call BULLSHIT on Climate Change Deniers

#ActOnClimate

**#IMPOTUS** 

#CoverUp

#StopTrumpsWar "Wag the Dog"

#NoBanAct

# Stop The Bans

#BansOffMyBody

#NunesResign

#InvestigateIvanka

#LockHimUp

#PutinPuppet

#NeverAgain

#ENOUGH

#ThisIsMyLane

#BelieveSurvivors

#NetNeutrality

#SaveTheNet

#Impeach Kavanaugh

#MoscowMitch

#LeningradLindsay

#CloseTheCamps

#MuteTrump

Trump is a Fascist

Say "No" to NAZIs!

# #161

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:45:25 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:47:09 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:43 **IP Address:** 92.13.233.73

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Q1

Name (optional):

will

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the hunting and murder of these Iconic animals . These bears deserve to live as much as humans do!

# #162

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:43:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:47:46 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:14 **IP Address:** 72.253.1.25

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Q1

Name (optional):

Fred Luke

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

With only 1500 grizzlies in the lower 48, it seems unwise to allow trophy hunting of grizzlies in Montana. Thank you for your consideration.

# #163

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

WTF only allow hunting with a Bowie knife & bow on foot

# #164

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:23 **IP Address:** 192.241.98.157

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting!!!!!

# #165

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:48:43 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:53:48 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:05:04

 IP Address:
 92.184.112.42

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Q1

Name (optional):

Meryl Pinque

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Trophy Hunting!

The grizzly bear is a quintessential symbol of wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range.

Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management.

In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I raise my voice for grizzly bears and tell the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council that I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Nonhuman animals are sentient beings.

# #166

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 92.15.132.123

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sarah Phillips

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop hunting these beautiful creatures in there natural habitat. They don't deserve this barbaric cruelty.

# #167

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:51:53 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:57:58 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:05 **IP Address:** 47.6.104.36

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kristen

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hello.

I would like to say that hunting Grizzlies is ill advised on many levels. If there is no need then it is a waste of an animal. It promotes the wrong type of hunting and wild open spaces as it teaches those that wildlife and the land they live in are expendable. These animals and many others already face threats from humans, sport or trophy hunting should not be made availble.

# #168

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Stan Polinsky

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am against any form of further wildlife persecution by Humans. The reason so many laws are needed in this country is because you can't trust Humans to do the right thing on their own. This is evidenced by Human caused extinction and near extinction of many species. Many have been saved/protected through laws and regulations. I live in the Southeast Longleaf/Wiregrass ecosystem where 90 million acres of Longleaf and associated species have been reduced to approximately 3 million acres thanks to uncontrolled Human greed. Attempts, including my property, are now being made to restore much of that critically important ecosystem through cost-share programs and advice to landowners. I know first-hand the effect of unmitigated habitat and species destruction and what it takes to bring it back. Humans are not the most important species on Earth; a fact that cannot be dis-proven.

# #169

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is unintelligible

# #170

## COMPLETE

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 181.111.49.186

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please Stop the Cruelty!!!

No more Grizzly Bear killings!!!

It's time to Ban the Grizzly Bear hunting!!!

# #171

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:05 **IP Address:** 62.163.195.176

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Q1

Name (optional):

Audrey Ng

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #172

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #173

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:08:42 **IP Address:** 62.202.191.140

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Q1

Name (optional):

Naomi Zurcher

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am writing as a forestry professional and an avid outdoors person. Grizzly bears, like other predators, are an essential part of the ecosystem they inhabit and their ability to exist is an indicator of a functioning habitat. More importantly, they are a keystone species in the shaping of the ecosystem. Their protection, through the ESA and beyond is critical at a time when they are losing habitat as a result of a changing climate. I strongly urge the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council to look at the science behind maintaining keystone species and their habitats as a mechanism for maintaining a functioning ecosystem. Decimating the population through trophy hunting will reduce species biodiversity which will directly impact on the health and well-being of the ecosystem they are part of which will impact our own well-being and the resources we rely on for our own well-being.

# #174

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Please no trophy hunting! Save the Grizzly!

# #175

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:15:01 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:17:16 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:14 **IP Address:** 2.219.243.35

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Q1

Name (optional):

ΑP

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting of any species is a gross, inhuman practice that should never be allowed.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #176

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:49 **IP Address:** 124.122.198.48

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Hughes

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am a life long gun owner and hunter, but I have never trophy hunted and never will. Trophy hunting is morally despicable. We need to be like the Native Americans who hunted for sustenance and appreciate wildlife. Thank you

# #177

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:16:54 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:19:21 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:27

**IP Address:** 174.226.134.207

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joseph Appleton

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #178

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:18 **IP Address:** 73.180.176.56

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Q1

Name (optional):

John Dittmann

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bears are not only an iconic symbol of the American Northwest, they are an important part of the ecosystem. Their numbers are fragile, we must protect the species for future generations

# #179

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Danielle L'Ecuyer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave the Grizzly Bears alone!

PLEASE!

It's their right to live in peace!! Can you understand that?!

# #180

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:47 **IP Address:** 24.27.53.101

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Margaret

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are critical for maintaining a healthy ecosystem. Reject hunting of grizzly bears.

# #181

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:05:12 **IP Address:** 104.10.199.238

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Q1

Name (optional):

Evelyn

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

murdering Grizzlies for the pleasure of - sick-minded sub-humans' joy is totally wrong

## #182

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It is outrageous that more and more hunts are allowed. Wolves and bears need to be protected. Especially from the government agencies that are supposed to protect but instead encourage killing. Facilitate hunts. Disgusting behaviour.

Thought America was a better country than it clearly is. Stop destroying lives. Wolves and bears are more important than farmers fears.

# #183

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Francesca bernabei

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Biodiversity it is necessary for a healt environment. Hubt is cruel ans useless

# #184

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:25:46 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:28:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:33 **IP Address:** 174.81.45.101

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Q1

Name (optional):

Terrance Hutchinson

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bears are an integral to the ecological environment and form a part of a complex. If you let the complex fall apart man will not be able to survive

# #185

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:28:20 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:29:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:32 **IP Address:** 99.36.180.27

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Q1

Name (optional):

Julia Freund

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of the Bears especially in the wildlife preserves. I am against trophy hunting adamantly. These animals deserve better. I lived in Wyoming near Yellowstone and it was rare to see a bear at that time. It shouldn't be like that

# #186

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:29:34 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:30:10 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:35 **IP Address:** 172.58.203.195

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### Q1

Name (optional):

**Heather Denney** 

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #187

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:42 **IP Address:** 69.117.138.58

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Q1

Name (optional):

Edward

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Share the space

# #188

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:34:39 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:36:11 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

. Killing for fun and bragging needs to stop now.

# #189

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:35:10 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:36:17 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please no trophy hunting. There is absolutely no reason for it.

# #190

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:34:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:40:04 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:52 **IP Address:** 108.7.79.180

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sarah Heath

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am utterly opposed to Grizzly Bear trophy hunting. The numbers of grizzly bears should fluctuate based on natural conditions in their habitat, not based on arbitrary targets established by humans.

## #191

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:39:33 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:40:47 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:14 **IP Address:** 73.60.192.56

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

francis mastri

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #192

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Bert Corley

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears have one of the slowest reproductive rates of all terrestrial mammals. A female grizzly can take 10 years to replace herself in the wild, so we may not see the impacts of an aggressive hunt for a decade.

Removing female grizzly bears from the wild could seriously hurt the entire population.

Holding a hunting season so soon after federal protections are lifted is irresponsible and demonstrates why the public majority doesn't trust the state to manage wildlife.

Pregnant bears could be shot during a fall hunting season. And so killing one female bear could equate to the actual removal of what would have been up to five bears from the population.

In 2017 Montana recognized that holding a hunting season soon after delisting was unnecessary. Montana should stand by its original decision and not open a hunting season on grizzlies in the future.

Grizzly bears still occupy less than 5% of their historic range.

Grizzlies in the Yellowstone region are already struggling as a result of dwindling food sources as a result of climate change, invasive species and disease. Since 2015 the population has decreased and mortalities have increased. This isn't the time to introduce a new source of mortality for these bears.

Grizzly bears are solitary animals, and so a hunt won't change their behavior. Dead bears don't learn anything.

The federal government and states have spent millions of dollars recovering this magnificent species from the brink of extinction. Rushing forward with a hunting season so soon after declaring recovery successful is counter-intuitive and may undo all the hard work people have put into recovery.

People travel from all over the world to see a grizzly bear in the wild. The money generated from this tourism contributes greatly to the surrounding states' economies. The money that would be generated by a trophy hunt pales in comparison.

"Management" shouldn't automatically mean "hunting."

Predator populations like grizzly bears are self-controlling; hunting is not needed as a management tool to control the population.

Research has shown that permitting trophy hunting does not increase social tolerance, and may in fact have the opposite effect.

With no buffer around Yellowstone National Park, bears that spend much of their time inside park boundaries accustomed to people could be shot the second they step outside the line. This is unethical. It could also be devastating for park visitors who find out that the bear they saw just yesterday got shot by a trophy hunter.

# #193

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing Grizzly Bear, please.

# #194

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:41:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:43:02 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:30 **IP Address:** 153.9.100.212

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Q1

Name (optional):

William D. Anderson, Jr.

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't allow hunting of grizzly bears!

# #195

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:44:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:46:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 63.155.42.178

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Q1

Name (optional):

William Lee Kohler

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm opposed to hunting Grizzly Bears.

# #196

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Addis

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears!

# #197

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:50:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:52:03 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:46 **IP Address:** 24.159.244.224

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This is barbaric and unnecessary. Do not allow the hunting of these precious creatures.

# #198

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:49:01 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:52:03 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:01

**IP Address:** 174.230.133.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

Chris Rehl

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow Grizzly bear trophy hunting. Our world is better with a healthy Grizzly population. Thank you for your time.

# #199

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:50:09 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:52:16 AM

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Q1

Name (optional):

NANCY KERTIS

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE PLEASE STOP THE KILLING OF INNOCENT BEARS AS GOD CREATED US ALL TO LIVE IN HARMONY.

## #200

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:51:19 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:53:10 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:50 **IP Address:** 91.125.105.216

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Q1

Name (optional):

Martyn Roberts

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Please do not allow this to happen.

## #201

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:21:10 **IP Address:** 24.153.118.238

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Q1

Name (optional):

Wally MInnick

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm only a tourist to your state, but visit as often as I can. The prospect that one iconic symbol of your beautiful state is hunted only as a trophy diminishes my reasons for visiting. Tourism is valuable to many states. Please consider how much the value of tourists weigh against a few trophy hunters. Respectfully yours, a person in awe of wild and wonderful spaces like Montana.

## #202

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Now is your chance to raise your voice for grizzly bears and tell the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council that you are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #203

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:22 **IP Address:** 174.195.146.18

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Q1

Name (optional):

Pamela Rogers

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly bear trophy hunting. Dont kill grizzly bears period

## #204

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:58:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:00:04 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:11 **IP Address:** 178.195.4.52

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Q1

Name (optional):

Didi Magnin

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If a hunter eats the meat of the animal he killed - that is ok for me but do the American hunters eat the bear meat???????

## #205

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

For the composition of an animal population (and for the ecosystem in which the animals live) free trophy hunting by free time hunters is simply a disaster. Thus, PLEASE no trophy hunting (neither on grizzly bears nor on any other species)!

## #206

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:05:00 **IP Address:** 69.216.102.69

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Greg Rosas** 

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow trophy hunting of grizzlies. They deserve to thrive and help maintain their ecosystem. We should not permit hunting of these innocent creatures which could again push them to the brink of extinction.

# #207

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joyce Wheaton

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to be preserving the flora and fauna we have left before there is nothing left to protect.

## #208

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Suzanne Ward

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Being stewards of Earth's animals means ALL of them. Grizzly bears have a place in this world as much as all other life forms.

## #209

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:25 **IP Address:** 24.7.19.153

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sergi Goldman-Hull

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing more grand Grizzly Bears? What an absurd idea! Haven't humans killed off enough of those? I mean the Grizzly Bear was thought to be extinct in the US, so now that they're beginning to return to their native land you want to start killing them again? OUTRAGEOUS! Don't keep making the same mistakes our predecessors did and destroy a great creature of the Earth. Let's start showing that humans can be better than that. Please, PLEASE don't allow any killing of the Grizzly Bears, I beg of you.

## #210

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow trophy hunting of grizzlies even after they are removed from the ESA. The ESA is a bare-bones standard designed to prevent species extinction; to actually protect and restore iconic and spectacular creatures like the grizzly, we need to minimize the threat to them. Numbers control for safety is one thing, but trophy hunting is quite another and not at all necessary. Please give these animals the protections they need.

# #211

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't hunt them. They were here first!

# #212

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting of animals is a barbaric custom.

# #213

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Martin Reifinger

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are an essential part of wildlife and every life counts!

# #214

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:10 **IP Address:** 199.45.30.81

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Vasily

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do Not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

# #215

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:42

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Q1

Name (optional):

Daniel

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hello.

I am entirely opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears esp especially within Wilderness areas. Such proposed hunting runs comoletely contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing their numbers to recover and reoccupy critical habitat so essential for their survival.

# #216

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:35 **IP Address:** 71.201.36.29

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Q1

Name (optional):

Carol

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Seeing Grizzly bears is part of the reason why I traveled to Montana. Hunting them is not right for anyone. Montana travel industry, or the grizzly bears.

# #217

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kimberly Hutchins

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I find this whole thing sickening. Get a life and stop harming God's world.

# #218

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:57 **IP Address:** 71.88.178.185

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rickey Westbrooks

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP THE WAR ON MOTHER NATURE!! THAT IS HOW WE GOT INTO THIS NEWEST PREDICAMENT! STOP THE MADNESS AND FOOLISHNESS NOW!

# #219

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No more TROPHY HUNTING! The Grizzly Bears need protection to sustain future generations.

# #220

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Catherine Lacey

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

God didn't give us animals to kill to instinction.

# #221

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jane Cheuvront

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No period.

# #222

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:13 **IP Address:** 24.188.36.246

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Q1

Name (optional):

Laura Shea

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting.

# #223

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:43 **IP Address:** 50.108.78.20

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tamala Gage

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Unnecessary hunt

## #224

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:20:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:36:11 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:15:21 **IP Address:** 108.233.206.74

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

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#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states. Even with the protection afforded by the Endangered Species Act (ESA), there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2% of their historic range.

It is reprehensible that Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting is barbaric. There is nothing sporting about shooting down sentient creatures for fun. Grizzly bears are a keystone species; they help to maintain biodiversity, and their extirpation has ripple effects throughout the ecosystem they occupy.

In the last 2 years there have been record-breaking numbers of grizzly deaths in Montana. Do not further imperil the slow and uneven recovery of this species by allowing killing of grizzlies for trophies.

## #225

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are important parts of the ecosystems they inhabit. They keep the numbers of other animals, such as deer, from getting out of balance and destroying the flora. There is absolutely no reason for trophy hunting! That action is obscene and disgusting. An animal is killed--not for food--but just to stuff it or put its head on a wall? What kind of a warped human does something like that? A human that has no value for human life, or any other kind of life. We need the grizzlies. We don't need those humans.

# #226

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:17 **IP Address:** 74.67.251.27

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Joseph F Dillman Elbridge, NY

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I would like to see a hunting ban on Grizzly bears. We cannot afford to loose any more of our precious willife. Thank you, J. Dillman

# #227

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diane Perfetto

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO ONE HAS THE RIGHT

# #228

#### COMPLETE

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Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:44:42 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:46:25 AM

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 72.226.108.185

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Big Sky state has a responsibility to protect nature's inhabitants.

## #229

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Martin Lupowitz

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. It is also morally wrong to hunt for trophies.

## #230

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am completely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

This is not a true sport. It should never be encouraged.

# #231

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Christopher F. Vota

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Only Trump's son and the rich deplorables stand to make a "killing" should the hunt return!

## #232

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:49:46 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:53:00 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:14 **IP Address:** 67.142.100.100

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, is cowardly in the face of the present dire need to preserve life in all its forms!

## #233

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:51 **IP Address:** 24.239.146.136

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Ditra Walsh

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Thank you for your consideration.

# #234

## COMPLETE

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 73.129.154.195

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Q1

Name (optional):

Wendy and Dan Fischer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop killing these bears!

# #235

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:53:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:55:26 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It's important to protect our animals not hunt them to extinction.

## #236

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:46:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:56:23 AM

**Time Spent:** 02:09:30 **IP Address:** 75.36.68.13

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Q1

Name (optional):

REBECCA MCARTHUR

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'M GREATLY OPPOSED TO TROPHY HUNTERS BEING ALLOWED TO KILL GRIZZLY BEARS IN THE GREAT STATE OF MONTANA. THESE POPULATIONS OF BEARS SHOULD BE PROTECTED NOT EXPLOITED FOR THE SAKE OF A TROPHY/MONUMENT OF VICTORY. TO ME THE GREATER VICTORY WOULD BE TO PROVIDE SAFE HAVENS FOR ALL THE UNIQUE SPECIES LIKE THE BEAR THAT CONSTITUTE THE RICH NATURAL HERITAGE OF MONTANA. BEARS SYMBOLIZE DOMINION, AUTHORITY, BEING LARGER THAN LIFE BUT ALSO PROTECTION AND COMMITMENT. AS THE ADVISORY COUNCIL FOR THE GOVERNOR'S OF GRIZZLY BEARS MAY YOUR ACTIONS SHOW THE SAME LEVEL OF COMMITMENT AND PROTECTION FOR THE POPULATIONS OF BEARS THAT MAKE MONTANA THE TREASURE STATE A LAND ALSO KNOW AS THE LAST BEST PLACE. I THANK YOU FOR MAKING EVERY EFFORT TO PRESERVE THE DISTINCT BEAUTY OF MONTANA AND THE WILD ANIMALS THAT DEPEND ON THESE LANDS TO FLOURISH AND SURVIVE.

## #237

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Tracey B

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

American Citizens deserve better and OUR voices need to be heard above the destructive nature of Greedy Corporations and rampant Ignorance.

We ALL need to protect these extraordinary places and ALL WILDLIFE who inhabit these places, in order to remain connected to this earth, it is not only about the salvation of the planet, but it is also about the salvation of ourselves.

SAVE the Grizzlies!

Save the Endangered Species Act!!!

## #238

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gail Johnston

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We would like you to consider helping in this cause, thank you

## #239

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Shauna Weyrauch

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am writing to strongly oppose any plans that would allow hunting of grizzly bears in Montana's national parks and wildlands. The grizzly bear is a keystone species that is just recovering from our historical mistakes of over-exploitation. Grizzly bears have low reproductive rates and require large areas of specialized habitat; their populations should naturally fluctuate with the environmental conditions, and not be artificially suppressed by trophy hunting. Further, we should not promote the idea that large predators like grizzly bears are something to be feared and killed; this is an old idea that I would have thought our society had moved past. We now know that large predators play extremely valuable roles in ecosystems, and removing them usually has negative and unforeseen consequences. We should heed the advice of Aldo Leopold, who long ago warned us to protect every cog and wheel of the land, and to allow the land to function intact. Grizzly bears are very important cogs in the land mechanism, and they should continue to be protected and valued, not villainized and killed.

# #240

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect grizzly habitat and the bears

## #241

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:18 **IP Address:** 97.81.240.154

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Newsom

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #242

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Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Audrey Farrelly** 

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop trophy hunting bears!

It's 2020 & this is indiscriminate killing of wildlife. Not okay, not acceptable, not something to be proud of but instead a stain of shame on Montana.

# #243

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:00:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:03:10 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:13 **IP Address:** 68.84.201.173

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly hunting is about as immoral as it gets.

why can you not respect all living beings? There is not that much left.

## #244

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 35.137.177.138

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Q1

Name (optional):

John Schumacher

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't lose your membership cards to the human race. Trophy hunting of the Grizzlies is not good. How about if we hunt you?

# #245

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:20 **IP Address:** 108.51.97.200

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Just don't.

# #246

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:03:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:03:59 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:34 **IP Address:** 35.137.177.138

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dia Schumacher

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the trophy hunt!! What's wrong with you??!!

## #247

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Long before this day and age the killing of grizzlies unnecessarily became an expression of barbarism our species ought to have gotten beyond. You need to work on that catch-up deficiency.

# #248

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly bear hunting

# #249

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:42 **IP Address:** 174.221.2.240

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jaime Skizas

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow hunting if grizzly bears!!!

# #250

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:32 **IP Address:** 131.106.21.4

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Q1

Name (optional):

Art Shelly

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Spare the Bears!

# #251

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:06:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:07:34 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:02 **IP Address:** 96.255.126.213

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kimcarolyn Olds

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop this senseless killing of our innocent wildlife, and please preserve our natural habitat/wildlife for future generations. These animals are majestic and should be protected at all costs!

# #252

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:03:21 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:08:32 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:10 **IP Address:** 67.242.157.11

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Q1

Name (optional):

Peggy Ricci

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE STOP LISTENING TO THE HUNTERS THAT DON'T CARE IF ANYTHING LIVES. They only take the prize animals and then wonder why the herds are depleting and try to blame it on anything but themselves.

# #253

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:16 **IP Address:** 75.72.47.46

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Q1

Name (optional):

dwight fellman

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

let them live. not too many bears; too many humans.

# #254

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:13 **IP Address:** 50.109.91.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

David Olson

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the hunting plan. Grizzlies have not recovered to the point of hunting, especially to give the trophy hunters something to hang on a wall. Stop this plan.

# #255

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:14 **IP Address:** 47.198.66.226

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Estel

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #256

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #257

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kathy Marie Behl-Whiting

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana. If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #258

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:40 **IP Address:** 35.133.130.66

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Q1

Name (optional):

Shirley McAlister

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow tropy hunting of grizzly bears. Let nature take its course. The bear population depends on habitat conditions, and those conditions will regulate the number of bears. Grizzlies are an integral part of the ecosystem, and their numbers are still low. Please keep the wild places safe for grizzlies. Thank you.

# #259

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:45 **IP Address:** 69.144.56.9

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Q1

Name (optional):

BrunoVon Schloss

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

maintain no hunting

# #260

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:08:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:12:15 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:03 **IP Address:** 90.206.67.35

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Q1

Name (optional):

korinna Shan.

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please Protect Grizzlies! Hunting is an outdated and archaic "sport". Killing for fun should be outlawed!

# #261

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:27 **IP Address:** 67.253.239.154

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lenore Sivulich

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please allow the few remaining beautiful grizzlies to roam free without being hunted! THEY are the tourist draw!

# #262

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:48

**IP Address:** 184.174.133.162

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mike Tomlin

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

JUST NO TO HUNTING OF OUR GRIZZLY BEARS!

# #263

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:18:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:21:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:27 **IP Address:** 24.186.235.71

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Q1

Name (optional):

Peter Dominick

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not permit the needless killing of grizzly bears, just for sport.

# #264

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:18:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:21:23 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:07 **IP Address:** 24.209.16.255

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joy sperry

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am totally against trophy hunting, it's nothing but an ego trip for these so called hunters. Leave the bears alone please!

# #265

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:54 **IP Address:** 23.31.19.201

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #266

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

# #267

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:01 **IP Address:** 68.50.154.121

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please leave the Grizzly Bears alone. God saved the animals and you should too.

# #268

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:07 **IP Address:** 50.108.119.251

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sue Wright

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am completely against the trophy hunting of grizzly bears. I I do birding and wildlife photography and would love to visit your state in the future, but would think twice about visiting if you allowed this practice.

# #269

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:05:22 **IP Address:** 174.216.13.117

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Our wildlife, bears or wolves, etc., should not be eliminated killed because humans have encroached upon their habitat. They deserve to live as God's creatures. Please!

# #270

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:48 **IP Address:** 142.197.36.229

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave the bears alone. Don't hunt them

# #271

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:19:54 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:26:36 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:41 **IP Address:** 66.31.85.82

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jamila Viandier

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Their numbers have not recovered sufficiently, even if they are delisted from the ESA, and they are an important ecological part of the ecosystem. Wilderness tourism--to watch wildlife, not hunt it--is a huge market, and I hope you would push that. Giving people a chance to see live grizzly bear in nature would be a massive draw to Montana. Thank you, and I hope you will allow the grizzly bear population ample time to recover and repopulate areas native to it. Jamila Viandier

# #272

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:55 **IP Address:** 71.167.49.133

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Q1

Name (optional):

Monique

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hunting bears needs to stop immediately we as a country are tired of seeing animals abused just so people can have a trophy on their wall. It is barbaric and disgusting And people who do this to innocent animals in their natural element are a disgrace and an embarrassment to human beings everywhere

Thank you

## #273

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:51:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:27:47 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:36:22 **IP Address:** 107.242.117.11

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of the beautiful grizzly bears. These are magnificent special creatures and it is our responsibility as stewards of the earth to protect them.

They are meant to live in these preserve areas a good and natural life. Why would you let anyone go into the very areas that are meant for their survival and meant to encourage their population to grow only to kill them and hang their faces on a wall? This is a hunter's pride? This is bravery to shoot a helpless creature (against a gun) just to show off?

There are so few bears left within the states. They were practically extinct. And their population grows at a slow rate. They are important within ecology to interact with other animals and plants which rely on them and are interdependent. They are also an important symbol of the wild. Why would you let anyone destroy this? You have the most important beautiful creatures live before you, living in nature. DO NOT ALLOW ANYONE TO KILL THEM. NO TROPHY HUNTING!

I AM STANDING UP FOR THE BEARS' RIGHTS. LET THE BEARS LIVE!

# #274

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:26:36 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:28:10 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:34 **IP Address:** 73.27.120.166

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Q1

Name (optional):

julie bach

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Ban the cruel, inhumane Grizzly Bear trophy hunting. Do the right thing and ban Grizzly Bear hunting.

# #275

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:27:25 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:28:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:58

**IP Address:** 208.107.130.236

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Harrie

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It is absolutely immoral, cruel, and sadistic to murder an animal for a trophy. Stop this!

# #276

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:26:21 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:28:34 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:12 **IP Address:** 73.30.108.6

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dianna Holland

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

ALL LIFE IDS IMPORTANT & WE MUST MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF NATURE!

## #277

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:22:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:30:31 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:08:03 **IP Address:** 96.33.59.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Nancy Beavers** 

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems where they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived, cruel population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Stop the trophy hunting once and for all.

# #278

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:27:51 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:30:35 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:43 **IP Address:** 173.71.89.131

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Q1

Name (optional):

Temma Fishman

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow grizzly bear hunting. These beautiful, sensitive creatures should not have to suffer this cruelty! So much wildlife is being lost. Let's not add to that with this tragedy.

# #279

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:29:56 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:31:08 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:12 **IP Address:** 24.44.177.243

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dave Satz

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please eliminate any program that harms or kills bears.

# #280

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:30:27 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:31:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:56

**IP Address:** 209.122.195.198

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Q1

Name (optional):

gj rosenberg

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The majestic grizzlies are a main species that have been put on this earth to help shape the very habitat in which they live. The population of the grizzlies should be allowed to rise and fall according to the habitat they are in. Man's preconceived notion of what the population should be is not the same. Where the grizzlies live and flourish; so too will the wild places they live in.

# #281

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 87.119.182.178

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kaari

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let them live!

# #282

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:29:20 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:32:34 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:14

**IP Address:** 131.150.128.184

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Gregory Roll** 

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These are magnificent animals. We share this earth with them. To use them as trophy targets is absurd in this day of shrinking habitat and disruptive climate change. Please, please, let us move ahead to a new age of consideration for all the planet's animals and not indulge are more primitive predilections for trophy kills.

# #283

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:32:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:33:35 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:07 **IP Address:** 99.152.146.117

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Q1

Name (optional):

Deborah Brown

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP the Grizzly hunt! . Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #284

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:32:58 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:33:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:41 **IP Address:** 216.164.49.67

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Q1

Name (optional):

Minivere Wenzer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop bear hunting.

# #285

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:33:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:34:01 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:13 **IP Address:** 216.164.49.67

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Q1

Name (optional):

Bee

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop bear hunting.

# #286

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:34:07 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:34:20 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:12 **IP Address:** 216.164.49.67

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lou Wezer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop bear hunting.

# #287

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:33:27 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:34:49 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:22 **IP Address:** 172.58.60.10

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jerily

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Now is your chance to raise your voice for grizzly bears and tell the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council that you are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #288

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:05:25 **IP Address:** 108.214.193.67

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sarah Page

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Surely it is time for us to stop killing. Surely killing for "sport" is not a worthy reason to further endanger the iconic Grizzly Bear.

# #289

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:37:27 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:39:25 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:58 **IP Address:** 173.197.79.58

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect these beautiful animals, we need them for a balance in nature. Also for the generations to come.

# #290

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:38:52 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:39:54 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:01 **IP Address:** 75.132.171.22

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We must do a better job protecting our wildlife.

# #291

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 172.58.235.58

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Q1

Name (optional):

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Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is amoral anti life.

# #292

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:38:38 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:40:15 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:37 **IP Address:** 71.220.15.149

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please leave the Grizzly Bears alone.

# #293

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:39:54 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:40:47 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:52 **IP Address:** 86.149.110.120

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michelle Neeson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These bears belong there, part of the circle of life.

# #294

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:41:44 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:42:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:57 **IP Address:** 69.112.20.206

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gloria

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Like it or not, predators are necessary for the health of the ecosystems they are part of.

# #295

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:43:00 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:43:32 AM

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Chris Cromwell** 

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't kill off this species

# #296

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:43:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:44:40 AM

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 142.197.214.29

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Q1

Name (optional):

Chara Mandile

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We have already decimated our wildlife: enough!

# #297

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:42:26 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:44:50 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:24 **IP Address:** 74.204.31.156

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Q1

Name (optional):

Suzan Vrba

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear population is still too fragile to allow trophy hunting. They should not be a source of revenue or ego-stroking for the human population. They are a vital predator for their ecosystem. Allowing trophy hunting at this time is not a responsible thing to do.

# #298

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:43:37 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:44:56 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:19 **IP Address:** 187.21.214.20

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Q1

Name (optional):

robert curtin

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do Not Murder Grizzly Bears!!!

# #299

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:41:19 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:45:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:47 **IP Address:** 184.58.198.64

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nadine T. Hansohn

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm opposed to grizzly bear hunting in Montana or in any state.

# #300

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:43:38 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:45:39 AM

 Time Spent:
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 IP Address:
 50.107.173.110

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Q1

Name (optional):

Garry S. Taroli

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the Grizzly "hunt" - it is Cruel, unnecessary, and unscientific. I have vacationed in Montana, but I will not again if this hunt is conducted - nor will I buy Montana products.

# #301

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:43:09 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:46:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:09 **IP Address:** 65.182.231.210

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lary McKee

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I have been so lucky for I have seen in the wild some magnificent Grizzly Bears and they need to be respected, not killed. Everything in Nature has it's own place and killing these magnificent animals is NOT THE WAY! PLESE STOP!

# #302

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:47:54 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:48:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:32 **IP Address:** 108.26.234.130

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Q1

Name (optional):

Amy Freeman

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears! Please do not allow this.

# #303

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:49:12 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:51:05 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:52 **IP Address:** 24.23.46.248

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Q1

Name (optional):

Carole Ludlum

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please no more trophy hunting if grizzlies. We're not in the 1800s any more, these animals were here before us and deserve to live. Thanks

# #304

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:44 **IP Address:** 67.85.160.135

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop this awful practise! There is no reason for us to kill wildlife that simply is trying to live, like we do... we need to learn to live together, and be more respectful of Nature. We are all connected.

# #305

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:44:03 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:52:34 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:08:31

**IP Address:** 137.118.186.158

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. In addition trophy hunters are certainly not concerned about the species or the health of their environment. They are braggarts with the resources to buy whatever they want without regard for the planet or who ever they harm in their selfish and pointless endeavor!

# #306

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:52:50 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:53:07 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:17

**IP Address:** 137.118.186.158

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cindy Berry

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. In addition trophy hunters are certainly not concerned about the species or the health of their environment. They are braggarts with the resources to buy whatever they want without regard for the planet or who ever they harm in their selfish and pointless endeavor!

# #307

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:46:14 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:55:14 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:08:59 **IP Address:** 1.128.110.10

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Nicole Waldron

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

#### Dear Council

As a tourist to your great state I was awed by the beauty of its wild places and excited at the chance to see animals living in the wild. Even though I didn't see any grizzlies their presence in your wilderness balances all the other species. There is not many of them left and one day I hope to see one and take a photo from a safe distance. That would be one of the best moments of my life. Please dont allow trophy hunting to go ahead. Take pictures of live bears living in nature not dead bodies that you are proud of shooting and pushing towards extinction.

# #308

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:34:35 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:55:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:21:05 **IP Address:** 68.101.75.69

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Q1

Name (optional):

Christine Housel

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the trophy hunting of grizzly bears! How can anyone justify an killing animal simply to be able to show friends/family/the world that they've....killed an animal?! Where is the goodness in that? Does that actually make some people feel big, powerful, important....? It's a mentality that I (and 100% of people I know) will never understand. Grizzly bear trophy hunting should not be allowed just because some people find joy in killing & advertising that they killed a large animal. What a waste-- & surely a terrible disruption to grizzly bear families & populations. Please say NO to trophy hunting & allow grizzlies to live out their lives in peace! Thank you.

# #309

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:01 **IP Address:** 76.180.58.116

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Q1

Name (optional):

jennifer schultz

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This iconic animal should be protected. the last time grizzlies were hunted along with wolves elk overgrazed and destroyed. protect our eco-systems.

# #310

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:56:55 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:58:10 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:15 **IP Address:** 23.28.137.165

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lydia furman

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting if grizzlies is sick and must not be allowed. Send those hunters to a target range. We must save grizzlies for future generations

# #311

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:57:09 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:58:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:27 **IP Address:** 65.24.225.240

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Q1

Name (optional):

Melissa Fisher

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Ridiculous, absolutely ridiculous that your state would allow Grizzly Bear trophy hunting. Not only ridiculous, disgusting, disheartening, maddening, frustrating, and infuriating.

# #312

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:23 **IP Address:** 99.14.7.28

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop

# #313

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:58:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:59:54 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:04 **IP Address:** 104.53.150.160

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Caroline Roberts

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #314

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies like most animals on earth are disappearing from earth thanks to humans. We take their habitat, then kill them when they wander from artificial boundaries. Worse yet some nut who wants a head on the wall (sick) wants to kill for fun. NO. This needs to stop.

# #315

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I lived 25 years in grizzly country and found them to be admirable neighbors. None of the wild's animals deserves to be debased by grotesque trophy hunting.

# #316

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:58:58 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:02:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:08 **IP Address:** 76.5.105.244

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Q1

Name (optional):

Loretta Lehman

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm opposed to trophy hunting of grizzly bears just as I oppose trophy hunting of any animal that has a threatened population. Each animal species has its place in their region and their survival should be respected.

# #317

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:01:21 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:02:48 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:27 **IP Address:** 173.73.137.176

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Q1

Name (optional):

Maida Withers

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please no more killing of bears

# #318

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Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:04:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:05:26 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:35 **IP Address:** 98.118.109.98

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rosemary Bernier

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop the grizzly bear killing!!!

# #319

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:02:26 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:06:32 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:06 **IP Address:** 47.33.54.25

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly is a special species unique to Montana and a few other places. Once dominating the western US, they have been reduced to a few pockets where they still exist. Please protect this proud symbol of freedom.

# #320

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:06:17 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:06:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:35

**IP Address:** 174.110.177.226

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Brandon Turner** 

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop hunting grizzly bears!!

# #321

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:57:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:07:12 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:09:23 **IP Address:** 65.51.79.38

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please let the Grizzly's live for future generations to enjoy so they don't have to see pictures of them in a book!

## #322

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:07:03 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:08:32 AM

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 00:01:29

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 188.214.12.215

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Yvonne Fisher

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am absolutely opposed to trophy hunting for Grizzly Bears. This is cruel and barbaric especially in an age where we must preserve and take care of our wildlife and animals.

# #323

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:07:35 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:08:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:04 **IP Address:** 75.140.147.20

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow for the hunting of grizzly bears.

## #324

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:10:56 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:13:01 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:05 **IP Address:** 80.101.162.241

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Q1

Name (optional):

els den Hoed

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Sirs, This must be stopped at once, NO hunting at Grizzly Bears They are to precious to kill!!! SO STOP THIS, PLEASE!!!

## #325

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:12:01 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:13:33 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:31 **IP Address:** 74.196.122.203

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Q1

Name (optional):

Annie Winstead

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Please do not allow trophy hunting.

Thanks

# #326

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:13:00 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:14:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:40 **IP Address:** 72.207.139.42

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mike Rossi

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect this awesome creature.

# #327

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:14:34 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:15:20 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:46 **IP Address:** 172.221.39.222

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lori

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the grizzly bear hunt!!!

# #328

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:06:10 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:15:57 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:09:47 **IP Address:** 99.95.67.159

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sharon Teagardin

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to protect our natural resources, including bears, rather than cede more to private industry

# #329

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:16:02 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:18:03 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:00 **IP Address:** 75.1.196.232

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Q1

Name (optional):

Victoria Mathew

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't allow these magnificent animals to be killed for sport!!

## #330

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:16:10 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:18:18 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:08 **IP Address:** 75.176.240.194

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Iconic species. We look for grizzlies when visiting the West. It is not our place to feel we are above sentinent animals. Grizzlies have a place in the ecosystem. Enough with ranchers. On one trip saw livestock outside the fences. The world is moving towards a "green" way of life regardless.

# #331

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:16:59 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:18:48 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:49 **IP Address:** 216.19.243.93

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Q1

Name (optional):

Judy Oates

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please discontinue the hunt for Grizzly Bears. They are a valuable part of the ecosystem. Thank you.

# #332

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:20:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:20:55 AM

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 00:00:44

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 72.228.181.130

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Q1

Name (optional):

Terri

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

QUIT KILLING TheSE magnifcent animals

## #333

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:23:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:24:05 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:00:36

 IP Address:
 72.228.181.130

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose killing grizzley bears

## #334

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:23:32 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:24:07 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:35

**IP Address:** 174.232.139.171

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Q1

Name (optional):

Candace D Park

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave the a Grizzly Bears alone!

## #335

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:22:47 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:24:35 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:47 **IP Address:** 47.184.225.2

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Q1

Name (optional):

lynn matarelli

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop this inhumane act. These bears are sentient creatures and are already facing widespread difficulties with food, climate, hunters... protect them please.

# #336

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:06:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:25:48 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:18:59

 IP Address:
 172.58.155.170

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Q1

Name (optional):

Msrlene Jaar

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bear have a right to live in peace

## #337

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:24:07 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:27:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:06 **IP Address:** 174.106.18.188

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kerry Vachon

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please consider that shooting and killing bears for sport and fun is inhumane behavior and we need laws to protect these animals who are at a distinct disadvantage. Thank you

## #338

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:15:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:27:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:11:54 **IP Address:** 71.62.18.175

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If you.follow your plans to allow the hunting of bears so someone can.stuff it and put it in their den thinking that makes him a man And they become extinct what are you going to tell your great grand children when they see a picture of a bear and they ask pop pop why aren't there any bears how are you going to explain that's because of your actions, or lack of actions that there are no more bears. That all you thought about is the mighty dollar and not the lives of innocent animals

## #339

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:26:40 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:27:59 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 107.72.178.8

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Q1

Name (optional):

R David Wicker

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No more trophy hunting. It's hard enough to compete with humans. Now, I LOVE humans, and believe in bear dogs and lethal control when necessary, but let's have a long term view. Hunting for sport will go away...

## #340

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:54 **IP Address:** 174.207.12.245

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lynn Killam

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow this important species to be hunted. They are struggling to stay alive with too much pressure on them as it is. Listen to the scientists, not the hunting lobby.

## #341

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:28:55 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:30:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:11 **IP Address:** 74.73.241.48

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Q1

Name (optional):

susan leber

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. do not allow trophy hunting

## #342

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:27:46 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:30:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:38 **IP Address:** 98.249.40.172

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ann Marie Heinrich

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears need to be protected because they are nearing extinction! Trophy hunting is cruel and inhumane and needs to be stopped! People that trophy hunt kill just for the thrill of killing and are evil!

# #343

### COMPLETE

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 23.124.153.251

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lisa Sons

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop killing bears.

## #344

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:28:04 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:31:58 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:54 **IP Address:** 170.72.70.244

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing Grizzly Bears or any kind of bear or animal should not be an option. We should respect everything that God has created. We are the ones that have created the problems that we face daily. We as so-called humans should learn from animals!!!

## #345

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:29:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:32:15 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:46 **IP Address:** 69.124.208.94

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sue Bedrick

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #346

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:00:26

 IP Address:
 23.124.153.251

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lisa Sons

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bears need protection

## #347

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:30:03 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:34:49 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:04:45

 IP Address:
 134.56.126.133

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Q1

Name (optional):

Theresa Galante

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears should be protected and NOT hunted. They are not a trophy, and it's disgusting to mount the head of this beautiful creature on one's wall for display. Please DO NOT allow hunting of this magnificent animal. Do the right thing. Thank you.

## #348

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:32:53 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:34:49 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:56 **IP Address:** 73.84.230.217

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Q1

Name (optional):

Alice

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I do not think bears should be hunted for sport, unless they become so numerous that, lime deer, they need to be culled.

## #349

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:33:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:36:03 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:17 **IP Address:** 86.1.236.177

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Q1

Name (optional):

Elizabeth

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This is really really important ... PLEASE ... I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears because, allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. PLEASE PLEASE HELP - you will be so very much appreciated. THANK YOU!!

# #350

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:36:02 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:36:32 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:29 **IP Address:** 98.115.172.12

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Q1

Name (optional):

Eileen McCloskey

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop this

# #351

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:37:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:38:32 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:14 **IP Address:** 75.135.68.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marita

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the bears LIVE!

## #352

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:38:44 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:40:12 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:27 **IP Address:** 67.79.90.2

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sabine Williams

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live

# #353

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:59 **IP Address:** 108.16.4.39

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jami Paul

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the proposed Grizzley bear hunts. These populations are struggling now to survive. They deserve better than to be someone's trophy.

## #354

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:37:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:40:50 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:27 **IP Address:** 75.26.200.211

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Q1

Name (optional):

L Hughes

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #355

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:35 **IP Address:** 104.11.21.81

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE LEAVE THE GRIZZLIES ALONE!!!

## #356

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:38:01 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:41:34 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:33 **IP Address:** 50.79.166.69

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michael Fraysse

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to allowing trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears. Their numbers have historically been decimated by the irresponsible actions of humans and their protection is still needed to allow for a healthy and stable population. Thank you.

# #357

### COMPLETE

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 23.124.153.251

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lisa Sons

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop hunting these beautiful animals!

# #358

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:42:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:43:12 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:23 **IP Address:** 96.59.151.70

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diane Bugliarelli

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop Grizzly Bear Hunt!!

# #359

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:42:35 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:43:28 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:53 **IP Address:** 99.113.25.40

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to any grizzly bear hunting.

# #360

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:44:04 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:45:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:09 **IP Address:** 66.69.199.22

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Q1

Name (optional):

Judy

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop trophy hunting. This is not a sport. It is a slaughter.

# #361

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:40:20 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:45:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:31 **IP Address:** 162.104.4.233

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## Q1

Name (optional):

Paul Bienhoff

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear GBAC,

Rest assured I won't be visiting your state as a tourist if you fail to maintain protection of Grizzly Bears regardless of their status under the Endangered Species Act.

Short term thinking - a feature of "big game" enthusiasts.

# #362

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:45:19 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:46:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:32 **IP Address:** 75.81.196.104

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cathy Wootan

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do whatever you can to support all forms of wildlife, which are under threat from everything ranging from climate change to habitat destruction.

# #363

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:46:09 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:47:08 AM

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 00:00:58

 IP Address:
 100.11.159.238

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Q1

Name (optional):

Francine Cohen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please HELP!

# #364

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:45:51 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:47:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:22

**IP Address:** 174.252.158.247

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Q1

Name (optional):

Hi

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop hunting bear, it makes no sense they are going extinct. Please do something about it!!

# #365

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:46:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:48:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:24 **IP Address:** 72.224.179.122

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't allow people to hunt grizzly bears

# #366

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:45:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:48:28 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:03:21

 IP Address:
 24.186.177.123

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## Q1

Name (optional):

Harry Harrison

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am absolutely opposed to allowing hunting for trophy purposes! We have to protect the environment and its inhabitants, not destroy them!

## #367

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:38 **IP Address:** 66.64.46.90

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Aline Rosenzweig

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #368

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:50 **IP Address:** 76.245.201.255

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Q1

Name (optional):

Elizabeth Walters

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #369

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:46:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:49:36 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:46 **IP Address:** 172.58.171.22

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jennifer Haines

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect these animals. Thank you.

# #370

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:48:53 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:50:11 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:17 **IP Address:** 70.44.115.47

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Q1

Name (optional):

DONALD C BECK

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

SAVE THE BEARS, PLEASE

# #371

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:46:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:50:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:37 **IP Address:** 71.15.241.176

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Q1

Name (optional):

Stephen Weissman

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Montana should not permit trophy hunting for grizzlies. The wilderness belongs to all the citizens of the United States, not just those living in Montana, and not just hunters. We urge you to keep protecting grizzlies as a keystone species in wilderness areas, letting their population fluctuate with food available to them in the area. Too many grizzlies are already killed by accidents and by ranchers protecting livestock.

# #372

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:47:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:50:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:07 **IP Address:** 174.242.78.114

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The rationale for hunting an animal such as a grizzly bear is just not there.

# #373

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:48:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:50:54 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:32 **IP Address:** 173.27.199.176

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

if the bear hunting cowards want to shoot something, they should join the military and go fight terrorists in afganistan or Iraq - but they won't because they are cowards

# #374

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:48:33 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:51:09 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:36 **IP Address:** 72.89.21.92

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Thomas

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears, and all creatures, are vitally important to the health of our environment. We must leave them alone and just let nature take it's course.

# #375

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:51:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:51:20 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:01 **IP Address:** 72.89.21.92

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Thomas

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears, and all creatures, are vitally important to the health of our environment. We must leave them alone and just let nature take it's course.

# #376

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:49:58 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:52:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:42 **IP Address:** 24.218.66.66

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Q1

Name (optional):

Laney Goodman

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the trophy hunters from killing off the grizzly bears. Please do not let greed and money sell off the right to murder the grizzly bear.

# #377

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:50:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:52:56 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:07 **IP Address:** 76.98.63.119

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Q1

Name (optional):

Deb Horan

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #378

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:52:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:53:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:46 **IP Address:** 67.41.140.245

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Q1

Name (optional):

sue mchenry

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am apposed to the proposal to commence trophy hunting if Grizzly bears are delisted from the Endangered Species Act. This will put the species right back in jeopardy. Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

# #379

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:50:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:54:42 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:26 **IP Address:** 67.173.57.11

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Q1

Name (optional):

Catherine L Cox

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These are wilderness areas. Don't trash them with trophy hunting. This is an especially egregious suggestion in lands adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier.

## #380

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:54:25 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:55:29 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:04 **IP Address:** 24.235.164.9

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #381

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:54:42 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:56:17 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:34 **IP Address:** 74.64.74.69

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Elaine sloan

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not kill these magnificent animals. There must be non-lethal ways of controlling bear population if that is what you are attempting to do. Murdering them is not the answer.

# #382

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:54:51 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:56:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:32 **IP Address:** 136.49.174.99

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Kaiba White

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are an important part of the ecosystem that we all rely on for survival. Don't allow them to be hunted.

# #383

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:56:35 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:19 **IP Address:** 98.201.114.48

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Q1

Name (optional):

Leslie

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

THis is barbaric and needs to stop!

# #384

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:56:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:56:44 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

protect not destroy

# #385

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

 Started:
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 Last Modified:
 Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:56:54 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:52 **IP Address:** 99.11.23.178

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kim H

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow such magnificent creatures to be slaughtered just to decorate someone's wall. Public lands are not for a few to exploit. I support Grizzly protection.

# #386

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:57:51 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:59:02 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:10 **IP Address:** 70.18.15.84

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Beth Nugent

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #387

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:56:08 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:59:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:58 **IP Address:** 100.36.203.78

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Jay Rose

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #388

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:33 **IP Address:** 73.198.93.40

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE DON'T KILL DEFENSELY WILD ANIMALS! WE HAVE ENOUGH LISTED ON THE ENDANGERED LIST AND SOME ON THE EXTINCTION LIST. OUR EASTERN PUMA ONCE WIDESPREAD IS EXTINCT SINCE 1938 AND HE'S NOT BACK! ONCE THEY'RE GONE, THEY ARE GONE FOREVER!

# #389

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:58:26 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:59:30 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:03 **IP Address:** 97.98.192.57

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Pat Pike-Dimel

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO hunting of Grizzly Bears! For any reason.

# #390

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:58:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:01:30 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:32 **IP Address:** 65.130.181.200

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Watson

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow Grizzly/brown bear hunting anywhere near Yellowstone National Park. We have already damaged the earth so much that causing extinction of animals will push ecology over the edge.

## #391

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:01:08 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:01:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:29 **IP Address:** 35.212.192.35

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Jocelyn Blake

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #392

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:13 **IP Address:** 71.192.101.12

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Hubbard

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Still recovering, grizzlies need to be protected.

# #393

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:58:08 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:02:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:18 **IP Address:** 66.41.128.172

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Q1

Name (optional):

Reed

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why would an individual need to have a trophy? Super-sized Ego. To murder in order to be able to puff yourself up is a sickness, not a need. Please do not play along with that 'Game'

## #394

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:00:56 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:02:29 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:32

**IP Address:** 207.255.199.202

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop grizzly bear trophy hunting.

## #395

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:58:36 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:02:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:04 **IP Address:** 174.90.104.90

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow hunting of grizzly bears. They are losing habitat and their numbers are dwindling. They have many challenges in today's world and pose no threat to humans that keep their distance. Our eco system requires all creatures to balance and we need the bears. Our society does not need to eliminate these great creatures. Please consider the big picture. Thank you

## #396

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:01:27 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:02:50 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:22 **IP Address:** 38.32.9.146

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Q1

Name (optional):

Patty Buttenheim

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Council members,

Please leave the bears alone. There's enough land for all of us to coexist. Thank you for your consideration.

## #397

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:02:03 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:04:16 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:13 **IP Address:** 96.248.62.89

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Q1

Name (optional):

Meem Ra

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect these beautiful creatures from pointless trophy hunting. We need to do every we can to preserve wildlife. Thank you for your consideration.

## #398

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:01:41 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:04:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:45 **IP Address:** 73.165.169.218

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

carol broll

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am extremely opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #399

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 Time Spent:
 00:01:52

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 50.224.131.218

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joanne Lorah

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting for our Grizzly Bear's in Montana or anywhere in the US. Let's leave a legacy for future generations.

## #400

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:56:36 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:05:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:08:30 **IP Address:** 70.92.74.170

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Q1

Name (optional):

Patricia

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I believe according to Wilderness Watch "today there are only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, etc. The last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana." Please protect the grizzly bear. Let us be good stewards of the gift God gave us - the Earth. Thank you.

# #401

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:01:38 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:05:33 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:54 **IP Address:** 23.119.44.213

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sarah

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect grizzly bears from trophy hunting, especially as they reproduce very slowly and face high mortality from other causes!

# #402

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:04:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:06:14 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:49 **IP Address:** 5.62.58.234

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Meira Nocella

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting of Grizzly bears please

# #403

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:06:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:06:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:12 **IP Address:** 96.59.151.70

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diane Bugliarelli

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

stop the hunt

# #404

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:04:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:06:38 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:09 **IP Address:** 98.18.130.46

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Q1

Name (optional):

Roderick Jude

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

"No Trophy Hunting"

# #405

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:05:59 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:06:51 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:52 **IP Address:** 213.57.88.38

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Judy Ann Cohen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Maybe we should allow "trophy" hunting of short-sighted government officials????

## #406

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:02:40 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:07:07 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:26 **IP Address:** 76.217.96.49

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Q1

Name (optional):

Peter Ayres

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to trophy hunting in general. We no longer have the luxury of killing animals for fun. At least the big ones like Bear, puma, or other animals from other countries. It needs to stop. If a person hunts for food or in kills in self defense, so be it. Grizzlies are struggling already. Killing them for fun should have strict consequences instead of a hand clap. I grew up Methodist, but no longer go to church, but I am aware that killing for fun has never been part of the Christian ethic. We are "supposed" to be caring for the planet and all the wild life on it. Please stop this plan.

# #407

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:06:51 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:07:26 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:35 **IP Address:** 148.77.98.186

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Jordan

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect these animals and their habitats

# #408

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:07:34 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:09:04 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:01:30

 IP Address:
 67.245.200.220

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Q1

Name (optional):

Carroll Arkema

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow Grizzly Bear hunting in Montana!

## #409

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:07:36 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:09:48 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:11 **IP Address:** 76.231.28.177

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Q1

Name (optional):

Pamela Sieck

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a Gallatin County, MT homeowner I ask that you do not open trophy hunting of grizzly bears in our state. They are integral to the ecosystem and also being tourists to our state who want to see one in the wild. Thank you

# #410

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:11:17 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:11:49 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:31 **IP Address:** 67.184.199.86

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Q1

Name (optional):

mary camardo

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

do not let anyone hunt the bears!!

## #411

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:35:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:12:20 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:37:14 **IP Address:** 73.104.214.94

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to allowing barbaric trophy hunting, especially on our public lands.

Grizzley bears are an important part of the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Grizzly bears have only recovered about 2% of their numbers since near extinction in 1975, with approximately only 1500 now populated in the contiguous 48 states due to their very low reproductive rates.

Please DO NOT allow Trophy Hunting on public lands, including wild lands in America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

# #412

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:12:12 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:13:14 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:01 **IP Address:** 73.135.60.251

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Q1

Name (optional):

alan

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't kill grizzly bears.

# #413

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:12:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:13:25 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:28 **IP Address:** 45.248.56.22

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Sudeshna G.

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP KILLING BEARS !!!

## #414

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:09:40 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:13:49 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:08 **IP Address:** 23.29.2.105

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Please do not allow trophy hunting Grizzly Bears when they are de-listed from the ESA. Thank you.

# #415

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:32 **IP Address:** 45.6.104.17

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Q1

Name (optional):

Eve Hoter

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Thanks for making it real

# #416

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:13:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:15:21 AM

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 00:01:36

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 24.229.243.237

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why would you shoot a bear? People have no business in their territory.....allow room for wild life you dummies!

## #417

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:11:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:15:44 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:11 **IP Address:** 69.145.62.115

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Q1

Name (optional):

James Murphey

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly believe that Montana should NOT open up hunting for grizzly bears. As "The Last Best Place," we should not backtrack on the things that make our home so unique. Obviously, people do not want to hunt grizzlies for food, and I do not believe that trophy hunting is an ethical act. It is best to maintain a genetically diverse population of bears. We are a better state than Wyoming, and need to continue to demonstrate that.

# #418

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:14:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:16:01 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:31 **IP Address:** 69.180.241.60

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Q1

Name (optional):

Donald Plunk

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the bears live. No trophy hunting.

# #419

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:14:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:16:11 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 76.223.227.64

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Q1

Name (optional):

Elizabeth Hodges

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing for sport goes against the laws of God and nature. Please do not allow trophy hunting of the grizzlies.

# #420

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:15:07 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:16:23 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:16 **IP Address:** 108.6.22.64

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #421

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:14:55 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:16:57 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:01 **IP Address:** 100.34.19.43

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Q1

Name (optional):

clifford Schauble

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow Grizzly Bear trophy hunting if delisted by the ESA. Hunters are a very small part of the US population & do not need to given another animal to kill

# #422

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:16:43 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:17:22 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:39 **IP Address:** 70.44.82.217

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the grizzlies, why always killing wild life? Kill prisoners on death row who think nothing of killing humans..

# #423

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:15:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:17:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:54 **IP Address:** 199.247.43.176

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears have an important place in our ecosystem and need to be PROTECTED not killed!

# #424

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:17:00 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:17:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:52 **IP Address:** 91.64.179.2

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Dagmar Grabsch

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Trophy Hunting

## #425

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:17:01 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:18:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:41 **IP Address:** 195.206.107.25

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Cheryl Speer

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. I am completely opposed to this plan and respectfully request that you do the same. Thank you.

# #426

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:19:02 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:03 **IP Address:** 98.217.104.15

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Theresa Douglas

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Thank you.

## #427

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:03:44 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:14 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:17:30 **IP Address:** 216.51.227.26

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Margo Glass

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow trophy hunting of Grizzly bears. Bears are important for the ecological balance of nature. They deserve to be allowed to live their lives in their own habitat and to raise their cubs in peace.

They were not created to be shot by gun happy humans who want a trophy head above their fireplace, a bearskin rug in front of their couch, or chest thumping bragging rights to one-up their buddies. Go to the shooting range if you must shoot something. Leave the grizzlies alone.

# #428

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:20:30 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:18 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:47

**IP Address:** 172.220.189.219

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cheryl Militello

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the grizzly bears

## #429

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:18:51 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:25 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:33

**IP Address:** 174.141.201.238

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lynn Fuller

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting the iconic grizzly bear? No!! Please don't allow this. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

# #430

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:18:00 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:26 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:26 **IP Address:** 99.238.108.44

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Heather Slater

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am deeply opposed to allowing trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears. Trophy Hunting is disgusting and against God!! Grizzly Bears should be protected not persecuted.

# #431

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:19:55 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:57 **IP Address:** 24.129.60.254

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Monica Smilko

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave the bears alone! What does it hurt to just leave them alone? Maybe you hunters need to be shown what it's like to be the hunted

## #432

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:19:43 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:23:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:54 **IP Address:** 75.168.121.9

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Miller

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not hunt grizzly bears. Haven't we learned anything over the last 200 years when they were nearly driven to extinction? We are now facing the 6th great extinction event in the planet's history. Do not contribute to it further.

# #433

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:23:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:24:06 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:43 **IP Address:** 174.70.142.57

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PROTECT the grizzly.

# #434

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:23:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:25:10 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:37 **IP Address:** 35.137.165.222

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Q1

Name (optional):

Elizabeth Cruickshank

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These animals are an essential part of the ecosystem and shoulders be protected

# #435

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:51 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:25:16 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:24 **IP Address:** 69.87.228.166

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Philistines manipulated bible...you are the beast mentioned in it.

# #436

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Wednesday, April 22, 2020 4:58:39 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:25:46 AM

**Time Spent:** 14:27:07 **IP Address:** 73.217.68.27

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly object to any grizzly hunts. As a wildlife rehabilitator I've seen the devastating effects humans have on wildlife populations. Doing so intentionally is unconscionable.

# #437

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:25:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:27:47 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:22 **IP Address:** 47.5.87.33

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

kent mollohan

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I have enough trouble fining the antelope, now chased off by urban sprawl, so let's at least not popularize the killing of grizzlies or other wildlife. I like 'em alive to see and hear.

# #438

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:27:00 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:27:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:53 **IP Address:** 24.21.227.172

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Q1

Name (optional):

John Nettleton

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Quit killing grizzlies.

## #439

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:31:14 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:28:04 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:56:49 **IP Address:** 76.17.144.113

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Virginia Dwyer

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #440

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:26:32 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:28:21 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:49 **IP Address:** 174.27.116.0

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Sue Petersen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave the Grizzly Bears alone! Why do you need to kill everything? Turn your attention to taking care of our wild animals.

# #441

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:28:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:28:35 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:20 **IP Address:** 24.55.132.246

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunt on the grizzly bear!

# #442

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:00:39

 IP Address:
 98.239.21.221

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Q1

Name (optional):

Allison Anderson

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am not in favor of grizzly bears being hunted in the state of Montana.

# #443

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:25:07 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:29:12 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:05 **IP Address:** 67.7.10.136

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jack

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow hunting of grizzly bears within Montana. The bears are a tourist attraction bringing in money to state economy.

# #444

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:28:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:29:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:33 **IP Address:** 74.70.80.19

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Q1

Name (optional):

marcia caban

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop all trophy hunting!

# #445

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:30:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:31:42 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:45 **IP Address:** 8.33.138.40

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Meyer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please doo thhe right thing.

## #446

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:28:17 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:31:56 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:38

**IP Address:** 174.109.175.100

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lauren Humphries

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing them to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Thank you for your consideration.

## #447

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:23:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:32:59 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:09:09 **IP Address:** 24.73.175.138

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Q1

Name (optional):

Christina Adkins

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I say if you want to "Trophy" hunt, put down your gun and wrestle the bear with a knife. That's a "Trophy" kill! It takes limited skill to shoot a very large, slowly moving target who by the way is just looking for some berries and fish to eat, and has no idea you are about to end his innocent life for NO reason. Hunting for sport is cruel, barbaric, and really have we not yet evolved. Hunting any living creature for sport, should be banned globally. Every animal serves a purpose in supporting its local ecosystem, and when we upset that balance for entertainment purposes, it has irreparable consequences to the environment and the wildlife. If you love nature, stop destroying in the name of entertainment.

## #448

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a hunter I am confused as to why this is even being considered. Not only are these animals rare, but necessary for the ecosystem. You have a unique situation in your beautiful state to use what you have as a draw as a vast majority of people are opposed to killing Grizzlies. Besides, most hunters because of the cost, won't be able to pursue this. It is about a minority of so called hunters with money wanting to say they killed something most will never be able to afford.

Thank You

## #449

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:18:46 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:33:07 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:14:21 **IP Address:** 174.221.9.91

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marianne White

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears have been in the United States since before we immigrated here. Man thinks he is in control of everything, and must have everything to his liking. Also too many feel that being able to kill an animal raises their status with society. False if they need that they are severely void of self worth. We have taken whatever we want without regard for others or animals. It's time for a change --- let animals live in their environment without trophy hunting. Not to mention dangers of shooting guns in public areas where some one may be killed instead of a bear. There are restrictions in place to keep guns and hunting out of these areas so people can enjoy the wilderness in safety. Please do not allow grizzlies to be hunted as trophies. Thank you.

# #450

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:33:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:34:08 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:40

**IP Address:** 174.141.201.238

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Q1

Name (optional):

Craig Kent

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Do NOT allow trophy hunting of grizzlies!

## #451

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:33:19 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:34:09 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:50 **IP Address:** 104.58.28.89

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Q1

Name (optional):

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### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't kill the grizzlies. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana. Say no to trophy hunting.

## #452

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:32:40 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:34:21 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:40 **IP Address:** 73.59.163.132

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Teresa Iovino

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. It is our job to be stewards of our planet, not destructors.

## #453

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:33:31 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:34:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:20 **IP Address:** 24.12.215.253

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO trophy hunting! If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #454

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:28:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:35:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:57 **IP Address:** 174.230.17.140

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Howard

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the hunting grizzly bears. To often not enough consideration is given to their numbers and location. All to many decisions are made for the push by hunters and the outfitters and corporations that benefit from it. Some one needs to speak up for animals. The worse predator on this planet is humans.

# #455

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:34:43 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:29

**IP Address:** 213.205.192.225

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Phillippa Hilsden

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save our bears from animal murderers!

# #456

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:34:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:18 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:48 **IP Address:** 68.49.158.131

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Q1

Name (optional):

Evelyn Elster

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are just now recovering from near extinction in the Rockies. No hunting!!!!

# #457

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:37:38 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:19 **IP Address:** 71.209.81.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

Albert Marra

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Trophy Hunting for Grizzly Bears!!

## #458

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:38:03 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:57 **IP Address:** 71.230.124.64

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Animal cruelty is passe' in this 21st century - get with the times!

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #459

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:34 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:38:15 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:41 **IP Address:** 24.62.169.249

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Q1

Name (optional):

Judi Lindsey

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please make sure any guidelines and rulings you put in place do their best to protect the grizzly and his needed habitat.

# #460

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:37:37 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:38:58 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:01:20

 IP Address:
 71.105.215.176

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Q1

Name (optional):

William Tucker

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't kill grizzly bears for sport. It's disgusting. I've been hiking in Glacier and know how important they are for the ecosystem.

# #461

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:39:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:39:54 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:49 **IP Address:** 172.58.158.249

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cathleen Olsen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do the right thing for God's sake!!!!!

# #462

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:47 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:40:12 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:25 **IP Address:** 72.49.118.141

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I trust you will not bend to the minority and allow trophy hunting of bears in Montana. Allowing this inhumane hunting brings our progress as the enlightened species to a halt. You have the power to place nature before the powerful few. Please do.

# #463

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dennis Werner

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

stop Trophy hunting

# #464

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:39:46 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:40:57 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:10 **IP Address:** 24.250.26.211

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ashley Wapenski

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop trophy hunting. The idea of killing an animal for no other reason than to say you killed it is disturbing.

## #465

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:37:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:41:54 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:56 **IP Address:** 173.29.19.62

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in the state will no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #466

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hunting these magnificent animals is completely unnecessary. Very disappointing.

# #467

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:39:41 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:43:30 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:48 **IP Address:** 24.151.140.238

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't shoot the bears. There are so few left in the wild for people to enjoy viewing. They are beautiful, majestic creatures. SAVE THEM!!!

# #468

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:41:29 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:43:39 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:09

**IP Address:** 184.179.110.162

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sue

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please help end this torture and killing of our endangered wildlife. They are not here for us to murder every time we need to fill a void in our life!! IF they are all gone, what will you do to protect another form of wildlife from being extinct as well??? Stop this insanity NOW!!!

# #469

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:43:04 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:43:46 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:41

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joelle Porter

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #470

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:39:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:44:29 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:23 **IP Address:** 192.200.5.43

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Debra Ashton

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly urge you to leave protections for grizzly bears in place. I am 100% opposed to hunting grizzly bears for trophies or any other reason.

Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed, unnecessary "management". The past 2 years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana!! Allowing hunting would only exacerbate their death numbers.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit.

You must consider -- wild places will thrive in places where grizzlies thrive.

If Montana allows trophy hunting, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

DO NOT ALLOW TROPHY HUNTING OF GRIZZLY BEARS

# #471

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:44:25 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:45:12 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:47 **IP Address:** 174.228.144.15

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ella McRae

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop the grizzly bear hunts.

# #472

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:45:02 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:45:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:49 **IP Address:** 63.155.99.114

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No. No. No.

# #473

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:45:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:45:58 AM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lawrence Crowley

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting of these magnificent creatures, please!

# #474

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:42:14 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:46:04 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:49

**IP Address:** 174.198.212.223

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rose-Anna Behr

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am highly opposed to the hunting of grizzly bears. The ratio of predators to prey is already out of balanced, as evidenced by over abundance of deer. Nature will restore the balance if we do not tinker with her. I have visited Montana and love her wild nature. Please dont take that away.

# #475

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:44:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:46:09 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:46 **IP Address:** 173.232.242.4

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is no valid reason that these majestic animals should be hunted. They help to keep the population of grazing animals in check and in fact are more of a plant eater than they are a meat eater. I urge you to NOT let bears be hunted.

# #476

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:44:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:46:22 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:00 **IP Address:** 68.118.107.198

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Q1

Name (optional):

William Davis

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose grizzly bear hunting in Montana.

## #477

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

**Started:** Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:43:52 AM **Last Modified:** Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:46:48 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:56

**IP Address:** 162.232.161.145

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Q1

Name (optional):

Denise Basinger

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Wildlife is a national and state treasure. Please do not allow trophy hunting.

There are only about 1500 grizzly bears left in the wild, many in your own state.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

PLEASE DO NOT ALLOW TROPHY HUNTING

# #478

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:46:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:46:55 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:44 **IP Address:** 172.15.69.209

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Q1

Name (optional):

Natalia Stadelbauer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

please have compassion on the animals

# #479

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:45:39 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:47:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:44 **IP Address:** 71.196.88.172

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears!!! Save our animals!!!

## #480

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:42:09 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:47:52 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

With only 2% of its historical range remaining, it is time to protect the magnificent Grizzly Bear in every place it still survives, so it can continue to be an intergral part of healthy ecosystems, upon which all life depends, as well as keep this iconic American species as a living part of our national heritage. Thank you, Jason Winnett, Ashland, OR

## #481

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Barty Thompson** 

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Although it is accepted as an appropriate activity in many part of the country, Trophy hunting is about as unethical as you can get. Think about it for a second. It involves humans being empowered to kill something in order to gain a sense of joy. Make no mistake that it will produce a rush of adrenaline for the individuals doing the killing. As humans, we evolved to be effective hunters and one of the necessary hallmarks of our evolved psychology was to gain a sense of joy during the hunt. This applies to all phases - scanning, pursuing, and finally killing the targeted species. By programming our neural networks to produce a feeling of joy, it ensured that individuals would be encouraged to hunt. That was a good thing from an evolutionary perspective, because hunting (and especially successful hunting) led to significant benefits. So what we are dealing with is an evolved psychology in humans and especially males (who did the majority of the hunting). However, just because we find joy in an activity, it does not mean that you condone it and encourage it. In fact this is what the meaning of will power is all about - to overcome the underlying desires. So, we desires to fill joy by taking drugs, but that does not mean that we should encourage recreational drug use because there are detrimental side effects. Shooting grizzly bears also has detrimental side effects - namely the death os a magnificent creature who should not be killed just so some human can gain a rush of joy. It is the epitome of weakness if you encourage this activity. You will be displaying your own weakness by giving into the call to serve the appetites of humans at the cost of killing another being that is worth far more than a momentary euphoric hiccup for a human. The essentials of this ethical situation are clear and it is up to you to do what is obviously the right thing from an ethical perspective. Do you have the fortitude to stand up to the whimsical passions of humans or are you not fit to lead them in the appropriate direction? This is what you need to ask yourself in this issue. If you can't stand up and say no, then you ought to get out of the business of leading because you don't have the strength to do the right thing!

## #482

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Crystal Rector

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is simply unconscionable and offers no REAL benefit to anyone, only serving to minimize the importance of life for the sake of the the pride of the single individual hunter wo wants to hang a trophy on his wall. We are losing species diversity very quickly and there is no defensible reason to add to the problem.

# #483

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gail Luecke

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protest grizzlies

## #484

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:52 **IP Address:** 100.4.57.175

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Q1

Name (optional):

margaret curtis

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect grizzly bears from hunting and the sport of trophy hunting in particular. Bears are a vital part of the Eco system and they need to thrive and survive to maintain a balance in our environment. Please don't allow money to be the force that controls this issue. Money, as many say, is the root of all evil. Good can be done by maintaining the safety and protection of wildlife especially grizzly bears.

# #485

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Richard Warner

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting of any wild animal but especially the Grizzly Bear should be avoided in the lower 48. The Grizz is just now rebounding and given that we, as humans, have limited the area they can live in makes this even more dire. Please do not make it open trophy season on the Grizzly Bear. Thank you for your consideration.

## #486

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:53 **IP Address:** 67.83.7.1

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Q1

Name (optional):

A. Gasner

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose trophy hunting of Grizzlies in MT. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Thanks for your time.

# #487

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gisele

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing animals!!

## #488

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am slrongly opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears in Montana. Allowing trophy hunters to kill grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs counter to the importance of increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the bear to reoccupy critical habitat that is essential to its recovery and long-term persistence.

Grizzlies are keystone species--few in number but critical to shaping the ecosystems in which they live. Population numbers should fluctuate as habitat conditions, food, and climate conditions change. They should not be controlled by trophy hunting.

Thank you for your consideration.

# #489

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:02 **IP Address:** 174.18.70.24

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Q1

Name (optional):

Irene Saikevych

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the trophy hunting of this iconic, sentinel species. It's immoral, disgusting, and anti-environmental.

## #490

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dawn Rane

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose to allow trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears! All lives are worth saving, especially if they can't speak for themselves, I am their voice and this is wrong on all levels! Please protect these beautiful creatures from harm and sick people who have no problem killing for thrill! I am a Native American and I say, "BAN TROPHY HUNTING IN OUR COUNTRY AND WORLDWIDE!"

# #491

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sue Perry

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are still rare/endandgered and should not be hunted.

# #492

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:51:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:53:39 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:33 **IP Address:** 172.75.178.82

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Q1

Name (optional):

June

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to save wildlife, not murder them (and their habitat).

## #493

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow this massacre of our nation's beautiful creatures. Now more than ever we need kindness, compassion, and conservation. Please protect these iconic bears!

# #494

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

When will we say enough to killing indiscriminately? In the past people hunted out of necessity not for sport. killing animals is not a sport.

# #495

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:59 **IP Address:** 73.10.250.13

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cathy Brower

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is an abomination and should be abolished!

## #496

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:11:09 **IP Address:** 68.46.29.45

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Jo Anna Hebberger

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Keystone species are species that inhabit an area and are vital for that area to remain healthy and "in balance". If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear and these ecosystem will not function to the full capacity that they should. They will be depleted. This world must have healthy, functioning ecosystems for life on this earth to continue as we know it. Too many of our ecosystems have been depleted or destroyed already.

As an Ecologist and a citizen of this country, I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival and the health of the ecosystems.

## #497

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:42 **IP Address:** 94.134.91.52

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Ramona Krause

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please no trophy hunting for grizzly bears!

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Best regards Ramona Krause

## #498

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:31 **IP Address:** 68.228.44.153

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please leave the bears alone! I don't believe in trophy hunting! It should be out lawed everywhere!

## #499

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:56:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:00:11 AM

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Rachael Pappano

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #500

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:49 **IP Address:** 172.58.220.112

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Q1

Name (optional):

jenne sindoni

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

we cannot just continue to ERADICATE everything in our "way" and teach this to our children.

# #501

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:00:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:03:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:29 **IP Address:** 75.118.237.240

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mike Raymond

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am totally opposed to grizzly trophy hunting. It demonstrates lack of respect for nature and wilderness.

### #502

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:02:54 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:03:28 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:33 **IP Address:** 136.49.64.172

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are essential to the healthy ecosystem of the state of Montana

### #503

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:03:30 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:04:02 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #504

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect Grizzly Bears and do not allow trophy hunting.

# #505

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:03:14 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:04:25 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:10 **IP Address:** 67.11.27.118

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Q1

Name (optional):

Shawn Troxell

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting? In 2020?? Why?

# #506

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nicole

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose murdering beautiful animals such as grizzly bears

# #507

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:04:39 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:05:20 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:41

**IP Address:** 162.236.249.231

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop this horrible practice

### #508

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:59:41 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:06:16 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:35 **IP Address:** 71.80.108.203

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas. Instead, the grizzly bear populations must be allowed to recover, increase and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Culling the populations by allowing them to be hunted as trophies is wrong. Speaking as a scientist, I emphasize that these bears must be viewed as a critical component of the Wilderness ecosystems they inhabit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #509

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:32 **IP Address:** 174.225.1.195

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please let these magnificent creatures live

# #510

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:00:49 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:06:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:47 **IP Address:** 73.223.173.133

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lesle Helgason

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing for sport is cruel and not necessary. All life has value, please leave nature alone.

Thank you

# #511

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:04:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:06:38 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:45

**IP Address:** 174.242.144.223

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This absurd! Let them live in their habitat without fear.

# #512

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:06:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:07:18 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:59 **IP Address:** 97.95.81.21

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jennifer Reinert

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please leave bears & all wildlife alone. They have enough hard time, humans take their habitat, hunt them makes me sick.

# #513

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:05:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:07:47 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:25 **IP Address:** 71.167.190.39

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Leonard Dommin** 

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please expand and protect habitat for these magnificent animals instead of killing them.

# #514

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:07:46 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:08:18 AM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kate McGee

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE! No hunting of these bears

# #515

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:03:19 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:08:31 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not use bears for trophy hunting. The rich always want to hunt and kill all animals, they cannot stand to see any living animals that share the planet with us. All they want to do is kill, kill kill. We are judged how animals are treated on this earth. Trophy hunting is so SAD.

# #516

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:07:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:08:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:19 **IP Address:** 71.192.115.184

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Q1

Name (optional):

MaryAnna Foskett

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

Thanks for your consideration.

### #517

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:06:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:08:56 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:49 **IP Address:** 138.69.89.171

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Sandra Couch

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #518

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:40 **IP Address:** 98.190.129.233

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Q1

Name (optional):

Carol Pacelli

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE save these majestic animals. They don't deserve to die just because some egomaniac fool wants to kill something. We must protect all animals! Thank you.

# #519

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:09:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:09:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:18 **IP Address:** 75.167.102.98

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Q1

Name (optional):

Elizabeth Enright

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #520

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave grizzly alone

# #521

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:08:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:10:23 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:08 **IP Address:** 67.3.9.240

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Q1

Name (optional):

Greg Rupert

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

promote biodiversity. The grizzly's should be not be hunted, the full effects of the loss of whitebark pine as well as other stresses from climate change are not yet remotely understood.

### #522

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:56 **IP Address:** 69.122.57.125

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Q1

Name (optional):

Daniel J. Shields

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Where Grizzlies thrive, so does the ecosystem. Please ensure the vigor of Montana's wilderness areas by preventing Grizzly Bear hunting. Allow the Grizzly to thrive and the wilderness will thrive.

Thank You for your consideration of my comments.

# #523

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cindy

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting

# #524

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:11:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:12:15 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:30 **IP Address:** 71.200.47.219

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Q1

Name (optional):

gina fries

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop any grizzly bear hunting!

# #525

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:12:04 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:12:54 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:50 **IP Address:** 104.218.67.77

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dianne

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop this ridiculous assault on our wildlife!!!!

# #526

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:11:31 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:12:56 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:24 **IP Address:** 174.108.30.82

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why have to stop destroying wildlife. They were put on this earth for a reason.

# #527

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:33 **IP Address:** 99.177.68.18

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting of Grizzly bears. The bear is a quintessential symbol of wilderness and wildness.

### #528

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:58 **IP Address:** 71.161.112.64

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Drew Porter** 

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

### #529

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Silvia Jansson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #530

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the crass, senseless stupidity that only the idiot human animal would perpetrate. Idiots!!!

# #531

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #532

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

John Lawson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please let these magnificent creatures fulfill their role in the ecosystem.

Thanks

### #533

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:14:30 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:17:51 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #534

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Wiping out every species on earth for the egos of the rich is stupid and denies our children of tthe wonders around the world

# #535

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I like grizzlies, admittedly from afar but there is no need to kill these magnificient and self prospering creatures.

# #536

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Emily

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the bears live in peace! Leave them alone!

# #537

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ruby Weeks

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

All species must be protected for future generations and for information they can provide

# #538

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

STEVEN HANDWERKER

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PROTECT OUR NATURAL RESOURCE, THE INNOCENTS WHO OCCUPY THE ECOSYSTEM. PLEASE RESPECT AND DO NOT DISTURB THE ECO-SYSTEMIC BALANCE.

# #539

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Claire Bush

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Thank you for your time! Claire

# #540

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears in the state of Montana!

# #541

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Char

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am writing to urge you not to allow trophy hunting. The Grizzly bear population needs to be left alone so they can recover as a species.

Thank you for you attention in this matter.

# #542

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am against grizzly bears hunts. These magnificent animals do not have the population that make it necessary to cull them. They should not be killed just for sport, their fur or to become a wall decoration. NO grizzly hunting! Thank you.

# #543

### COMPLETE

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Nicole Planchon

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm against trophy hunting grizzly bears.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Please let them thrive. Life is precious, including the Grizzlies.

Thank you, Nicole Planchon

# #544

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Patricia B Davenport

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Animal hunting SHOULD NEVER be for trophies.

# #545

### COMPLETE

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Martin Horwitz

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do NOT allow any hunting, trophy or otherwise, of Grizzly Bears if they are delisted from the ESA. Grizzlies are a "keystone" species which are crucial in shaping ecosystems, and their numbers should rise and fall due to natural conditions, not some quota.

No hunting of grizzly Bears!

# #546

# COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect one of the balance of the ecosystem, grizzly bears.

# #547

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tracy and Mark Brady

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow the hunting of these magnificent animals

# #548

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Christina little

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

You can charge your nation by how we treat it's animals please do what's right

# #549

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

fred rubin

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

cruel and unnecessary

# #550

# COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:13 **IP Address:** 68.193.249.13

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Q1

Name (optional):

Thomas P. Fitzpatrick

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Who really needs a bearskin?

# #551

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Vince

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There should be no trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

# #552

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Rudolph A. Bata, Jr.

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a concerned American citizen, I find it very disturbing that the hunting of the American icon, Grizzly bears is being considered They are vital the the ecosystem, and should not be sacrificed to satisfy the sport of a few hunters. I strongly oppose any hunting of these bears.

# #553

#### COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I strongly encourage you to not allow grizzly bear hunting in Montana. Thank you.

# #554

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Melanie Bulock

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting should not be allowed for any species. It makes the people offering this look greedy. and it is bad for the species being hunter. STOP the maddness now.

# #555

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Q1

Name (optional):

ruth linn

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is absolutely no reason to allow the hunting of grizzly bears in Montana. I went to visit relatives after a few years and was completely appalled at the lack of wildlife and I know all the great spots where I used to see them. Wildlife viewing is far more more lucrative than hunting and less invasive. These majestic bears are the icon of Montana. Please do not allow any of them to be shot in any way shape or form. They are important to me, the ecology and the future economy of the state.

# #556

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sherry Mieling

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect Grizzlies

# #557

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jennifer

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear is not only featured on Wilderness Watch's logo, but the Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Now is your chance to raise your voice for grizzly bears and tell the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council that you are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #558

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Sharon Murphy** 

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose trophy hunting of grizzly bears. These iconic animals need protection as their reproduction rate is low and they were already endangered once. Instead of hunting and killing, Eco-tourism photography opportunities would an alternative. I'd travel to your state to do this. Please revere these animals. We are only one species on this planet and other species deserve to live.

# #559

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave the grizzly bears alone. No hunting these beautiful animals.

# #560

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:03:10

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 71.218.143.235

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Rick Andrews

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Not only am I opposed to killing Grizzly Bears for trophies I am opposed to killing them except for personal safety when under immediate attack.

If ranchers don't want to live with native wildlife than they should get their livestock off of public lands or move out of the great bears habitat

# #561

# COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the Grizzly Bears..

# #562

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Lastly, trophy hunting is immoral and an act directly against God. We are supposed to be good stewards of this planet, not destroyers of life.

# #563

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Leave wild places wild.

# #564

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:27 **IP Address:** 75.6.184.239

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Q1

Name (optional):

Pat Greggs

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop the trophy killing of the Grizzly Bears. Killing for this purpose is senseless and cruel. We have been delegated to be wise stewards of earth and environment. This activity is not!

# #565

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

stephen antoniadis

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival

# #566

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

don't be like google - EVIL, greedy and insecure - that is - what would Jesus do? Please leave God's creature to live and thrive. i mean really? you have to murder our fellow creatures for your little egos? or is something else LITTLE that you are trying to make up for? yes i know most people with small tools need to get a gun and take out their frustrations - pathetic!

# #567

# COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop trophy hunting!

# #568

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Petersen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy or other hunting of grizzly bears.

# #569

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Carolyn

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are a keystone species. Let them live so the their whole ecosystem can continue to life. NO TROPHY HUNTING!

# #570

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:35:05 AM
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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is disgusting! All trophy hunters care about is themselves. They should be caring about our animals.

# #571

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jim Barber

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

In wildness lies the preservation of the world. Without it we are all diminished.

# #572

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tracy S. Feldman

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am an ecologist and educator in Durham, North Carolina. I am writing in opposition to trophy hunting of grizzly bears. They play important roles in western ecosystems, affecting olant and animal populations alike, as well as the structure of natural communities. People should not be killing them indiscriminately, especially not for the whims of trophy hunters. This provides no benefit to the world at large, and yet it carries with it a cost that we will never recover from if bear populations get too low, and they are more threatened with extinction. Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Thank you for taking the time to read my comments.

# #573

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Vicky Castellanos

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am greatly opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears in Montana. They were once very close to extinction, which is why they were put on the ESA list in 1975. They have still not recovered in numbers since then and will be a grave mistake to open them up for trophy hunting. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #574

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Theresa Generes

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No one has the right to kill animals that aren't meant for food they are all gods creatures

# #575

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

LEAVE THE GRIZZLY BEARS ALONE! We need all the wildlife we can get.....why must you KILL, KILL, KILL? For profit? We need Nature much more than we need useless "corporations". ...and the so-called "ranchers" can't even get their cattle butchered right now. The world is changing....leave the grizzly bears ALONE.

# #576

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow grizzly bear hunting in Montana. They are meant to live freely and God did not put them there to be a trophy in someone's living room. Please treat them as God meant them to be treated. Do not allow hunting.

# #577

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears should be allowed!!

# #578

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michelle Eaton

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am totally opposed to grizzly bear hunting. Please don't let anyone harm them.

# #579

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the senseless killing of grizzly bears!

# #580

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

patricia law

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

do not kill bears

# #581

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:40:38 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:43:49 AM

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Kruger

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I hope your beautiful state, where I have vacationed, continues to protect Grizzly bears and other wildlife from trophy hunting. These animals are too great a national treasure to sacrifice for the purpose of decorating someone's home. bk

# #582

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Spend more time on education, learning what we can do to help nature, our planet and humanity to thrive. Spend less time on destroying it for individual pleasure!

# #583

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't hunt grizzlies in Montana.

# #584

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:34 **IP Address:** 99.47.60.42

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop trophy hunting and murdering, harming of bears and all animals please

# #585

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #586

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:04 **IP Address:** 32.210.1.108

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lara S

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

How ridiculous that you would even consider this! With all the crisis going on in the world right now, that's what you're concerned about? Trophy hunting? Shame on you! Put your efforts and money to better use!!!!

# #587

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:40 **IP Address:** 98.228.48.46

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jennifer Malik

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the trophy hunting of Montana's grizzly bears. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Thank you for your time.

# #588

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Doug Scott

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly bear hunting!!

# #589

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:13 **IP Address:** 216.30.159.126

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jack Noll

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #590

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Greg

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please leave some of God's creatures in the wild

# #591

## COMPLETE

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 107.242.117.53

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jim Stoner

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Start thinking about nature and how everything works together.

# #592

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

George Howe

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect the Grizzly's

# #593

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect Grizzly Bears from trophy hunters.

# #594

## COMPLETE

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Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:50:40 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly hunting!

# #595

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are a keystone species that are currently found in less than 2% of their historic range. These animals have an oversize impact on their ecosystems and should absolutely be left alone to help regulate the other natural flora and fauna. Trophy hunting is a sad relic of a bygone era and is indefensible for endangered animals with such a low reproductive rate. Humans are part of the intricately connected web of life and if we don't preserve that, we will fall also when it collapses.

# #596

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:12 **IP Address:** 107.138.96.162

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

**David Evans** 

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #597

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:44

**IP Address:** 199.189.106.247

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Q1

Name (optional):

Janet

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We must protect wildlife to sustain all of our environment. These animals are necessary and must not be targeted by hunters.

# #598

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Renee

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We must speak for those who don't have a voice.

# #599

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:05:15

IP Address: 134.192.179.228

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Q1

Name (optional):

James Bolton

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Advisory Council,

I am writing to oppose the proposed trophy hunting of grizzly bears if they are de-listed from the ESA. Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. I urge you maintain protections for grizzlies. Thank you.

# #600

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Q1

Name (optional):

Amber Jackson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears

# #601

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

luke Brandon

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Keep the grizzlies

# #602

## COMPLETE

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Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:51:10 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:56:18 AM

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Q1

Name (optional):

ann

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Of course save the grizzly bears however you possibly can.

I plead on behalf of great creatures who cannot defend themselves. Ann Graham

# #603

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:51:53 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:56:32 AM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Dunaway

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

You can't really be considering this move ... allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears.....that's downright crazy and anti-speciesism. So you think that it's okay for some guy with a gun to prove what a 'big man' he is by shooting a wild creature ??!! Don't do this.... PLEASE !!

# #604

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marcia Halligan

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect all grizzly bears.

# #605

#### COMPLETE

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Wave Reaume

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please reconsider opening grizzly bears to hunting if no longer protected by the ESA.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #606

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council,

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. We need to protect our animals not slaughter them. What are you thinking!

# #607

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Morris

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing bears does nothing to stop their extinction . Please allow the bears to live .

# #608

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Walter Pinkus

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I have long disagreed with the view that as soon as a species has recovered sufficiently that it can come out of Endangered status it is immediately open to being hunted, potentially right back into Endangered-qualified numbers. There must be Protected status from that point that it allows it to further recover on its own, without needing the active processes that come into play with Endangered status. Yes, eventually hunting would be allowed, but it should not be this binary choice that now exists. It is especially annoying that a desire for trophy hunting is driving this current analysis.

# #609

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Thrill killing is a barbaric hobby. People that still maintain this mentality should join the military. I did join the USMC and it taught me that hunting should be left on the battlefield not in our wilderness areas, parklands or lands adjacent to parks. Only emotional immature humans thrill kill. They shouldn't be allowed to own guns. Take it from a Marine, I know.

# #610

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jennifer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please we need to stop killing our wildlife and we need to protect their migratory corridors.

# #611

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robin Davis

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect our wildlife...not the opposite! We need all of the biodiversity left on earth. Our survival actually depends on it.

# #612

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears, any animal, is morally wrong and upsets the balance of nature. I oppose trophy hunting of any kind for sport and recreation. We are a better society than that. Hunting number have dramatically dropped in the US, why not make Montana a good example instead of making a political maneuver.

# #613

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Shannon Yenney

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the killing []

# #614

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Melissa Berkshire

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need these bears more than the hunters need a thrill

# #615

## COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect bears

# #616

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jean Heaps

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bears are an integral part of the United States. They are a symbol of the wilderness unique to this country and should be protected and valued.

## #617

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dennis Landi

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Because Grizzly Bears are already on the Endangered Species List I want you to do everything possible to protect them from trophy hunting throughout your state. Whatever changes in the laws you need to make for better protection, please do it. It is up to you to follow the suggestions of the American people that speak out for the animals that are unable to speak for themselves. Thank you

# #618

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Pweggy Oba

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is SO useless. men and women who trophy hunt have obvious personality and sexual disorders that use the blood of innocent and useful animals to satisfy psychological insufficiencies.

# #619

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop this craziness! Allow these beautiful animals to live! They should be protected under the Animal Protection Act..

# #620

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There have been enough animal killings

## #621

#### COMPLETE

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Valeriya Efimova

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

f trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #622

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Aimee Darrow

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing animals! Barbaric

## #623

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joseph Braus

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #624

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Q1

Name (optional):

Catherine Harrison

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

People who TAKE PLEASURE in killing, have mental health issues and should be assessed. Any children should be screened for ABUSE, as well.

# #625

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joan Frerichs

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the bears live!

# #626

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cathy Cirina-Chiu

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow hunting of grizzly bears.

# #627

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kathy Spann

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect Grizzly Bears

# #628

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't trophy hunt the grizzly bear. They are very close to extinction.

# #629

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jocelyn Leroux

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Grizzly Bear Advisory Committee Members,

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this important issue, please accept these comments on behalf of the Western Watersheds Project. The issue of livestock-grizzly conflict is a huge issue, yet is largely absent from the Working Group Skeletal Framework Drafts. We appreciate that there is an entire meeting dedicated to the discussion of this topic and hope that you will consider the following recommendations regarding livestock-grizzly conflicts.

Between 1997 and 2017, over 70 percent of all grizzly bear mortalities in the Greater Yellowstone Ecosystem stemmed from anthropogenic causes. Of these, at least 86 resulted from conflicts with livestock. If this is any indication for the direction of grizzly bear management in the rest of the state, something needs to change. This month, two young male grizzly bears were killed due to livestock conflicts. This is not a good start to the year, and with limited information about what conflict prevention measures were employed by the ranchers, we are left to wonder what, if anything, is being done to avoid lethal removal of grizzlies. In fact, in the case of one of these bears, FWP states that "the rancher is working with the local Blackfoot Challenge watershed group to set up an electric fence to help prevent future livestock depredations," suggesting that the loss of livestock and this grizzly bear could have been prevented were adequate conflict prevention techniques employed. This issue must be given higher importance in your future discussions and management recommendations to avoid unnecessary killing of grizzly bears in the future.

So far, in the Working Group Skeletal Framework Drafts, non-lethal deterrence measures are barely discussed. Implementing conflict prevention measures statewide should be of the highest priority. Residents in the Blackfoot Valley saw a 96 percent reduction in reported verifiable human-grizzly conflicts between 2003-2010 following the implementation of conflict prevention measures. This led to a drastic decrease in human caused grizzly bear mortality even as the grizzly bear population continued to increase.

Several council member working groups mentioned the need for increased funding for grizzly programs, and we agree that funding for conflict prevention measures should be increased to ensure that livestock producers are implementing conflict prevention measures. Grizzly bears are native to this landscape and therefore Montanans should work to co-exist with these bears even if that means altering animal husbandry techniques. We recognize the challenges associated with this and are supportive of funding to assist in the implementation of conflict prevention measures.

Techniques that have been proven successful at conflict prevention are: electric fencing of private property, particularly calving areas; removal of birthing material; removal and composting of carcasses; a neighbor-to-neighbor communication network; a waste management program; and range riding. Implementation of these conflict prevention measures is paramount. Lethal removal of a grizzly bear should be an absolute last step only after appropriate non-lethal measures have been implemented.

Additionally, we would like to highlight what presenters Garth Mowat and Larry VanDale said about livestock-grizzly conflict in British Columbia and Alaska. Both of these presenters said that livestock producers are not compensated for the loss of livestock, but that losing livestock to grizzly bears is simply a part of living where grizzly bears are, and that livestock producers have instead had to alter their animal husbandry practices to reduce livestock losses to grizzlies. By providing guidelines for how to avoid livestock depredation and resources to assist with implementing these changes, the state of Montana is doing more than enough to subsidize the livelihoods of ranchers.

The discussion of increased funding for livestock loss compensation must be accompanied by a discussion of funds for prevention measures. In fact, we think that it would be reasonable for livestock producers to receive compensation for livestock lost to grizzly bear conflict only if they have implemented adequate conflict prevention measures. If there is no incentive to implement conflict prevention measures we will continue to see unnecessary killings of grizzly bears.

There are currently tools available through the Livestock Loss Board:

Money from the federal grant has been used to fund range riders, carcass removal, fladry projects and the purchase of guard dogs.

Board members decided to try something new a few years ago. They bought an enclosed trailer and filled it with loss prevention tools. The first year the tools could only be used for wolf loss prevention projects. Now they can be used for grizzly loss prevention as well. A partnership was formed with USDA Wildlife Services where they supply personnel to take the trailer and supplies out to ranchers so they can try out loss prevention tools. The idea behind this was that some loss prevention methods may be too expensive for a rancher to try out. By trying out the tools they can see if it works for their ranch.

However, the fund is set up to receive excess money from the compensation fund, of which there was none from 2019. This structure does not address the pressing need to be proactive when it comes to grizzly-livestock conflicts. Money and time spent on conflict prevention measures benefit all involved. If funding for conflict prevention measures were increased immediately, the state would not only save money on livestock compensation losses, but we would also see a reduction in the unnecessary lethal removal of grizzly bears. This model is currently being used for wolf conflicts with more money being available for loss prevention than compensation, and now you must urge the governor to make a similar fund available for grizzly programs at the state level.

One last factor that must be addressed by this council is that of public lands grazing. The responsibility for coexistence on public lands should be placed on the livestock producers bringing cattle into native grizzly bear habitat. Livestock producers must implement the same conflict prevention techniques on public lands. By putting emphasis on conflict prevention measures we can avoid the unnecessary killing of grizzly bears and instead see Montana's grizzly bear population continue to rebound.

Sincerely,

Jocelyn Leroux Washington/Montana Director Western Watersheds Project 1537 Iron Street Bellingham, WA 98225 (406) 960-4164 jocelyn@westernwatersheds.org

# #630

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michael

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a child many years ago, I was told that Grizzlies were extinct in the lower 48. Let's not get to that stage again!

# #631

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kris Leesekamp

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears is contrary to the need for increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing them to reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #632

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jacqueline

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to preserve & protect these beautiful animals not hunt & kill them. It is wrong!!!

# #633

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

**David Clemens** 

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP the hunting of the magnificent grizzly bears now. I realize it is ALL about the money. Enough!

# #634

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Q1

Name (optional):

Bernadette Gero

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose trophy hunting of any animal. It's a waste of beautiful life.

## #635

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Charles Schultz

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

IT IS ABSOLUTELY DISGUSTING AND IMMORAL TO KILL ANY DEFENSELESS ANIMAL FOR FUN!!! THESE BEARS ARE WONDERFUL MAGNIFICENT ANIMALS AND SHOULD BE PROTECTED AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. ANYONE WHO WOULD LIKE TO KILL THESE MAGNIFICENT ANIMALS, ESPECIALLY FOR A TROPHY IS A SUBHUMAN PILE OF SHIT THAT WOULD HUNT HUMANS IF THEY COULD DO SO WITHOUT ANY CONSEQUENCE AND SHOULD NOT BE ALLOWED TO KILL ANY ANIMALS FOR ANY REASON.

AS A PERSON WHO WAS BORN IN MONTANA AND STILL CONSIDERS MONTANA HIS HOME, I AM ASHAMED THAT MONTANA WOULD EVEN CONSIDER SUCH A DISGUSTING THING.

Charles Schultz

# #636

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

**ENOUGH KILLING OF WILD ANIMALS** 

# #637

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jan A Larson

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Long past time to stop the reckless killing and destruction of wildlife so stop trophy hunting permanently now!

## #638

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Christian

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Grizzly is a majestic animal and an important member of a balanced ecology and environment. To think that people would be allowed to shoot them and hang them on their walls to show others what they've done is disgraceful and must not be allowed.

## #639

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ellen

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Advisory Council,

I am completely against allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. This idea runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #640

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cespedes

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Beautiful majestic animals, should be left a lone, wild in the wild. They are part of the "natural Chain" please leave a lone

# #641

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:46 **IP Address:** 172.58.4.184

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Q1

Name (optional):

Philip Munguia

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

ALL lives matter! All living beings have feelings and emotions and deserve respect. Please protect these incredible animals and let them live free from violence. Thank you for the consideration.

# #642

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:38 **IP Address:** 71.77.254.132

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Grizzy Bear Hunting in Montana please.

# #643

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:14:34 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:17:01 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:27 **IP Address:** 67.143.129.199

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Q1

Name (optional):

Vicki Wheeler

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Grizzly Bear hunting ever please

## #644

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:16:14 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:17:04 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:50 **IP Address:** 174.226.131.70

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Q1

Name (optional):

James

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Horrible to do this! Shane on your state!!!

## #645

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:16:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:19:00 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:53 **IP Address:** 97.73.244.229

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Carroll

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We have few of these bears in the lower 48. We need to be protecting them instead of hunting these animals as trophies .

## #646

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:18:27 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:19:24 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:56 **IP Address:** 71.255.227.90

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Q1

Name (optional):

LIDA SKRZYPCZAK

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Live and let live. I love bears!!

## #647

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:18:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:19:57 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:29 **IP Address:** 12.15.229.84

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Q1

Name (optional):

Brian Hodge

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Still a Threatened species, hunting is not appropriate at this time.

## #648

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:19:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:20:45 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:30 **IP Address:** 24.240.118.25

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Some people would like to put the emperor's head on a wall as a trophy, would that be wrong?

### #649

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:07:18 **IP Address:** 66.31.131.70

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Q1

Name (optional):

Eric Fournier

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am writing to express my opposition to the proposal of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. The Endangered Species Act still protects them, and even if they do get de-listed, they are still far from recovering. There are only about 1,500 left, and they live on just 2% of their prior habitat. This is short-sighted decision by Advisory Council that at best only benefits a select few within the state, and not the vast majority of Americans who support the protection of grizzly bears and the ESA. Please do not follow through with any proposal that allows for the hunting of these bears. Thank you for your time and attention on this matter.

## #650

### COMPLETE

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 74.221.188.175

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kurt E.

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Their numbers are too low to justify this.

### #651

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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IP Address: 72.228.154.135

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Kevin H Siepel

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

#### Hi:

I don't live in the west, but have hiked or camped many times in western wilderness areas. I'm glad the west is there for all Americans. I used to be a hunter, but find trophy hunting quite offputting, to kill a magnificent animal just to please the human ego.

I agree with Wilderness Watch on the wisdom of letting nature itself limit grizzly populations. I know that other factors come into play, chiefly the conflict between humans and grizzly range, but large wild animals are disappearing throughout the world, and I fear that in a hundred years they'll mostly be gone. I say let them be. Trophy hunters of course contribute money to the Montana state economy, but the money that comes in seems paltry in comparison to what might be lost.

So I'm with Wilderness Watch in asking you to reconsider trophy hunting for grizzlies.

Thank you.

Kevin Siepel

## #652

### COMPLETE

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 172.58.222.178

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rhonda Johnson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is nothing more disgusting than killing just to kill. Leave these animals alone. They belong.

### #653

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:41 **IP Address:** 208.38.246.19

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

David Balan

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Sir or Madam.

I am completely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing these iconic bears to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not human-imposed population limits. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Respectfully,
David Balan
Concerned Citizen

### #654

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Jerry Hughes

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Governor,

Our country is losing our wild heritage at an alarming rate and with the grizzly bear, it's just one more case for preserving what America is blessed to have in its history. Your state is so unique, out of the lower 48 states to have this resource, I wish more states had this option. Please help preserve your grizzly's for all Americans. This is one, natural resource that sets your state apart from almost all others in the United States! Thank you,

Respectively,

Jerry Hughes

## #655

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:17 **IP Address:** 73.245.219.80

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Q1

Name (optional):

Teresa Ligorelli

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to allowing grizzly bear trophy hunting.

### #656

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #657

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:26 **IP Address:** 50.244.172.106

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Q1

Name (optional):

L Martin

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Ban trophy hunting of all animals!!!

## #658

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:05 **IP Address:** 74.88.65.96

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Q1

Name (optional):

Linda

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop killing our wildlife which belongs to our planet not anyone

## #659

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:23:56 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:25:54 AM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rachel Petersen

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please reconsider opening up hunting to include grizzly bears. It does not make sense to begin killing a creature after working for decades to ensure its survival.

## #660

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:35 **IP Address:** 72.207.24.68

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robin Reinhart

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO TROPHY HUNTING OF GRIZZLY BEARS! EVER! PLEASE STOP!

# #661

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:43 **IP Address:** 72.211.227.50

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robin w

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please cancel this hunt! This is cruel and unnecessary to hunt animals on the verge of extinction. These animals deserve endangered species protections that were taken away from them in 2016. These animals deserve more from us! Please reconsider and cancel this barbaric event. Shame on you.

## #662

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are an important part of the environment and help keep various wildlife populations in check. They help spread the seeds of the berries they eat. They need our protection.

## #663

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:05 **IP Address:** 174.59.199.170

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am completely opposed to the idea of the trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Let them live as part of the natural environment.

## #664

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:38 **IP Address:** 67.85.118.194

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sam Lupo

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop this barbaric, inhuman killing

## #665

### COMPLETE

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 76.179.202.229

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect wildlife

## #666

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:13 **IP Address:** 65:30.43.82

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

why? money in your pocket? disengaged with the natural world? Every day makes me wonder what's wrong with people in this world. This is one of those days. Shame!

## #667

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

i am against the hunting of grizzlies since their number are barely large enough to keep the gene pool healthy

## #668

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:28:07 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:28:42 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:35 **IP Address:** 108.78.171.143

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Q1

Name (optional):

Al Giles

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect the grizzlies.

## #669

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:27:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:28:46 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:41 **IP Address:** 100.6.94.40

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Q1

Name (optional):

KC

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please take the necessary actions to protect the Grizzlies, some of God's most beautiful creatures. Thank you.

## #670

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:27:24 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:28:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:28 **IP Address:** 73.25.97.65

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Q1

Name (optional):

Russ Axelrod

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do everything possible to protect grizzzlies and their habitat forever.

## #671

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:27:41 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:29:02 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:20 **IP Address:** 74.64.97.13

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Q1

Name (optional):

liz mostov

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #672

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 100.40.129.147

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Gunther

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO trophy hunting of grizzlies (or any other beast)

### #673

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:07:54 **IP Address:** 73.239.200.131

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Q1

Name (optional):

Deborah J Cruz

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The allowing of trophy hunting of Grizzlies is unconscionable. The Grizzly is currently under the protection of the ESA, which means the population is near extinction. Even being de-listed it means the Grizzly population numbers will still be exceedingly low. Once delisted they will be targeted by farmers and hunters alike and you will set what little progress has been made under the ESA to restore the Grizzly population. Your proposed move to allow trophy hunting is going to put the Grizzly right back on the ESA list.

This is not to mention the immorality of taking a life for sport and it doesn't matter whether that life is human or not. Killing for the sake of killing should not be encouraged on any level, especially to augment some twisted sense of domination.

### #674

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:30 **IP Address:** 68.197.195.226

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Q1

Name (optional):

Victor Sytzko

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #675

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:14 **IP Address:** 72.174.64.161

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Q1

Name (optional):

caroline

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting for grizzly bears. Must we continue to destroy all living creatures on this planet?

## #676

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

steven

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting has no value and is simply stealing something that has value to all of us.

## #677

### COMPLETE

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 100.40.129.147

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Q1

Name (optional):

M. Gunther

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is wrong in so many ways. There should be no trophy hunting at all, but especially protected species.

## #678

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:55 **IP Address:** 100.2.75.96

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

susan carey

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the hunting of grizzly bears. Please never allow this.

## #679

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please no bear hunting in the state.

# #680

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:11 **IP Address:** 97.117.91.147

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Pett

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing any animal for sport or for a trophy is horrible. No decent human would do so. These beautiful animals should be protected not killed for someone's sick pleasure.

Robert Pett

# #681

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tammy Lettieri

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Can't you people learn to live with other species instead of killing them all and calling it a sport!

# #682

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 184.20.110.30

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Q1

Name (optional):

**David Hochtritt** 

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Say no to selfish, greedy and anti-nature trophy hunters. Nothing on this earth is held in lower esteem.

# #683

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting!!!!!

# #684

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Williams

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly hunting

## #685

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jennifer

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As an avid outdoorsperson, I am strongly opposed to trophy hunting of ANY animal -- especially on public grounds that taxpayers pay for. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Let them be, and leave their protections intact. Trophy hunters need to find a new hobby.

# #686

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Q1

Name (optional):

Carole Ann Cole

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Grizzly Bear Advisory Council, please ban trophy hunting of grizzly bears. It is unnecessary and cruel. Thank you.

# #687

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop this frenzy. God is watching and recording your decisions.

# #688

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No hunting the Grizzly Bear. It's 2020, not 1920.

## #689

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:54 **IP Address:** 99.44.201.138

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Q1

Name (optional):

Pam Wilbourn

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE HELP TO PROTECT GODS MOST INNOCENTS, HIS ANIMALS! ALL ANIMALS DESERVE A CHANCE TO LIVE FREELY AND PEACEFULLY, GOD CREATED THIS EARTH FOR HUMANS AND ANIMALS TO ENJOY, NOT FOR ANIMALS TO BE MURDERED, FOR FUN, THANK YOU!

# #690

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Beth Davenport

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not hunt grizzlies..

# #691

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Q1

Name (optional):

Arthur Lapite III

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting top predators is both unnecessary and disrupts essential ecological systems. End the barbarism.

## #692

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:33 **IP Address:** 68.49.4.229

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Barb Glassheim

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #693

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

With a population surge in Montana, wildlife needs to be preserved. No trophy either.

## #694

#### COMPLETE

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Dr. Michael and Dr. Joyce Huesemann

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly is going to be struggling for survival as human population continues to increase and development takes away more and more of their habitat. Montana is one of the few places left for them. This is NOT time in our history that the grizzly should be hunted for trophies. Killing them just for the gratification of men who think their penises are too small and have something to prove by putting their head on their wall is NOT a good reason. Neither is the extra dollars the state can make from this. You can find a much better way to bring money into the state than destroying these magnificent bears. And as you know, trophy hunters kill the very best ones -- the strongest and most spectacular ones -- the very who should be breeding and passing their genes on to the next generation. Protect our bears and DO NOT allow trophy hunting!!!!!!!

## #695

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**IP Address:** 207.138.193.188

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Q1

Name (optional):

Liza Eng

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This iconic creature still has very low population numbers. We need every Grizzly to keep the gene pool diverse. I am a strong proponent of the Yellowstone to Yukon Initiative. It is only through this collaborative effort that we can save this magnificent animal. Trophy hunting shouldn't even enter into this equation. Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this important issue.

## #696

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mia Bourne

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As we are now experiencing this Covid-19 event we are all learning how all life matters and how easily it can slip through our fingers. Why allow destruction of our Earth and her creatures? Grizzlies are an important part of the Ecosystems that they are part off, when they are gone they are gone FOREVER.

# #697

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:37

**IP Address:** 174.104.222.234

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Q1

Name (optional):

Yolanda Hershey

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Isn't time we start to preserve what we have instead of always killing things?

# #698

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:40:54 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:42:38 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:43 **IP Address:** 74.215.159.78

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Q1

Name (optional):

Neal Hunter

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly bear hunts.

## #699

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Anna K

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #700

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:35 **IP Address:** 37.120.223.24

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Q1

Name (optional):

Beate Spendel

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please help the Grizzlis to survive! They belong to the American Nature - long before the "pale faces" brought this beautiful nature (including Indians and animals) down!

# #701

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Maureen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE!! No trophy grizzly bear hunting!

## #702

#### COMPLETE

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Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:41:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:44:22 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:16 **IP Address:** 100.8.195.150

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Q1

Name (optional):

Theresa Thorsen

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I've lived in Europe and Central America as well as the good old USA, traveled to over 25 countries, but by far the highlight of my travels was seeing grizzlies in Montana. Climbing Mayan pyramids, hiking glaciers in Iceland, going on safari in South Africa were not as exciting as seeing these symbols of the West in the wild.

# #703

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nancy Loftin

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

REALLY YOU THINK HUNTING BEARS FOR SPORT IF A FUN TIME TO BE HAD----WHY DON'T YOU LET THEM HUNT YOU INSTEAD IF YOU THINK IT IS OK!!!!!

# #704

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

lindy hoppe

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the killing!!!! Find a more beneficial hobbie to take up with your palls.....Protect your environment not ruin it! Teach your children the values of natiture while they have it....It may not be there in years to come.

## #705

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jamie Lantz

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We who value the ecological balance that includes the grizzly bear protection by the ESA, are deeply concerned the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears should not be allowed on public lands, especially the wild lands in our National Wilderness Preservation System and the wild public lands adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

I implore you to protect invaluable Wilderness areas in Montana- the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness to remain safe havens for our Great Bear.

# #706

## COMPLETE

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 76.214.106.197

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cindy

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the grizzilies live & thrive in Montana. They're beautiful animals that don't bother anyone. They have a right to live there. Leave them alone.

# #707

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop the hunting of grzzly bears

# #708

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the Grizzly Bears live!

## #709

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:46:55 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:48:22 AM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lissette

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #710

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

colette wilson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

They are not for us to dispose of.

# #711

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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## Q1

Name (optional):

**KELLY LEWIS** 

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose the hunting of grizzly bears. We need to focus on allowing animals to thrive so as to avoid the extinction of animals that were also put on Earth to be part of the unque diversity of life.

# #712

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Denise B.

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, please let the bears be! Why the need to kill helpless wildlife? Be the change .

# #713

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunters - the "scum" of the earth!

# #714

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect grizzly bears. They were here long before humans were. They don't deserve to be pushed out of their homes. How would you feel if you were them?

# #715

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 208.104.131.89

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ann Green

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow grizzly, or any animal, hunting.

Thank you!

## #716

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Susie O'Keeffe

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Some how, some way, the white man's slaughter of these magnificent creatures must end. We, the descendants and beneficiaries of colonial eco and genocide, continue the horrific war on the magnificent life and creatures of the continent. If you do not stand against this, then you are just one more person, one more agency complicit in this evil legacy of destruction. This is a simple truth. Stand for the creatures, the restoration of, and coexistence with, what little remains of the wild world. Stand for the grizzlies, their right to exist and thrive.

## #717

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Julia

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting of any type is an inhumane, barbaric action. In fact, if a child kills an animal for fun, they are considered disturbed and taken to a child psychologist or psychiatrist.

How can you legally allow others to derive pleasure from killing animals for fun? Have we not become more civilized than this.

It is beyond disgraceful that you would allow such actions to take place.

# #718

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop hunting grizzlies

# #719

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There's absolutely NO reason why anyone must kill bears or any other animals that do NO harm & ARE going extinct. Use your power to save theses bears

# #720

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save the Grizzly bears and their environment.

# #721

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 20:50:40

**IP Address:** 184.103.100.146

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Q1

Name (optional):

Autumn Garcia

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It is time we stop using trophy hunting as a guise for animal conservation. I am aware that much money is brought in this way, but trophy hunting is a sacrificial lamb that we have evolved above, and It is unfortunate that moral character has not evolved with it.

## #722

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:26

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. I oppose the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #723

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joan Faszczewski

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I said no yesterday because it was Earth Day. If its Earth Day or not I will say no again.

# #724

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is pathetic and a disgrace. Grizzly bears are an essential omnivore in a healthy wilderness. Please stop this hideous greedy practice NOW.

## #725

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:22 **IP Address:** 73.58.214.142

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Q1

Name (optional):

Melissa Harris

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #726

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 108.14.60.105

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save our wildlife! A trophy should be for something someone does exceptionally well. That does NOT include killing!

## #727

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:02:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:50 **IP Address:** 67.172.29.89

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Q1

Name (optional):

Grace Henning

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

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## #728

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Q1

Name (optional):

Patrick McGuffin

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to trophy hunting in general, but I am adamantly opposed to grizzly trophy hunting. Farmers and Ranchers are compensated for loses. Bear mortality is on the rise, negating any hunting management solutions.

## #729

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Grizzly Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA).

So why on earth would the governor of Montana think it is a good idea to allow them to be hunted for sport?

Any type of Trophy hunting of animals should be banned. Trophy hunters should only be allowed to hunt each other.

# #730

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michael Stella

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No bear hunting should ever be allowed as they are disappearing rapidly!

# #731

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please leave the grizzly bears alone! Stop any hunts forever!

## #732

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Disgraceful.. Self serving politicians always looking for a way to enrich themselves and could care less for wildlife or the environment!! Need to place them on highway cleanup for a few years!!!

## #733

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:08:04 **IP Address:** 107.139.20.142

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Q1

Name (optional):

jennie harris

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. The wild population of animals on this continent and on earth is far too imperiled in our time to sustain the unnecessary and cruel practice of trophy hunting merely for some kind of deranged pleasure or ego gratification. These are times to cherish and protect all the living creatures on the planet.

# #734

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:24 **IP Address:** 75.177.104.59

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Q1

Name (optional):

Wendy Childress

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly bear hunting! No hunting of any kind! People who hunt suck.

Thanks

## #735

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:01:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:06:50 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:21 **IP Address:** 24.218.71.34

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Q1

Name (optional):

adrienne chitayat

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are federally protected as an endangered species under the endangered species act. Given their status, ecological importance, and long life history traits that make them vulnerable to decline of this species, it is entirely reasonable that the federal government is right in protected grizzly bears. States are legally required to follow the law and should not be exempt. Furthermore, with power comes responsibility and state governments should be setting an example to uphold the law of our country rather than outright breaking it. How else can the citizens of the USA be expected to follow the law?

# #736

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:12 **IP Address:** 174.81.254.27

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

End trophy hunting

# #737

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:06:17 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:07:22 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:04 **IP Address:** 184.20.110.30

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Should be open season on trophy hunters

## #738

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:07:18 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:07:31 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:13 **IP Address:** 76.217.197.231

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #739

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:07:52 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:08:28 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:36 **IP Address:** 71.65.250.52

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #740

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:06:06 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:09:01 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:54 **IP Address:** 50.53.105.84

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

hunting/trophy hunting is wrong on all levels. please dont hunt these great and important bears.

## #741

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:08:22 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:09:43 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:21 **IP Address:** 98.168.248.18

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Q1

Name (optional):

T Nelson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am strongly opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #742

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:13:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:14:14 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:59 **IP Address:** 69.181.28.99

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the grizzly bears! Humans have to stop killing everything in sight.

# #743

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:14:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:14:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:36 **IP Address:** 73.8.132.52

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marilyn Davis

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why would this ever be necessary....do these idiots eat bear meat!!!

# #744

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:14:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:15:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:29 **IP Address:** 67.8.212.251

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kim Scott

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the hunting off grizzly bears. It is barbaric and inhumane.

# #745

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:14:46 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:16:30 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:43 **IP Address:** 97.120.100.103

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop allowing the killing of our wildlife. There is no reason for anyone to kill these bears for fun and/or profit. Killing defenseless animals for no reason is not manly and is definitely inhumane. Thank you.

# #746

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:13:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:17:08 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:51 **IP Address:** 68.228.96.34

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mike buono

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Too many die already from people. They need to be protected in Montana on public lands even after de-listing.

## #747

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:07:03 **IP Address:** 150.131.66.250

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sue DeMers

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am 100% against trophy hunting of any kind. This would be awful for the Grizzly Bear as well as begin the degradation of Montana's great wilderness areas. I will not vote for politician who is in favor of this. We should learn from our past mistakes, which contributed to their declining numbers in the first place. Let's use our human intelligence and get this right.

Thank you!

Thank you

### #748

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Diana M. Noel

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Trophy Hunting of the grizzly bear.

The grizzly bear is not only featured on Wilderness Watch's logo, but the Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana. Please stop the killing.

### #749

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:26 **IP Address:** 24.21.39.137

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please- no trophy hunting of grizzly bears! While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #750

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:31 **IP Address:** 98.116.4.35

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Q1

Name (optional):

melody fiore

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I Vehemently oppose Grizzly Bear hunting. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #751

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michelle Macy

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bears should be protected NOT shot to death!!!

## #752

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Rebecca McDonough

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Please - let's do the right thing for nature.

Thank you.

# #753

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

corine cathala

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

save the Grizzly

## #754

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tom Libric

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I do not support and strongly condemn any efforts to allow hunting of grizzly bears in Montana. Grizzlies as a species are extremely sensitive to human interaction. Hunting will have a detrimental effect on the species as a whole and likely result in far greater bear deaths and stress-related human interactions than anticipated. How can an agency charged with maintaining healthy populations of wildlife for posterity consider hunting for a species still protected under the Endangered Species Act? Why would the agency's first impulse be to allow hunting once a bare minimum of the species is alive? This is not a recovered species and this hunting proposal plan is immoral insanity.

## #755

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #756

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am strongly opposed to the proposed grizzly bear hunt until you do a scientific study that shows that their numbers are increasing in the area and will not be affected by the hunt.

# #757

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the trophy hunting of grizzly bears in any state in this union.

# #758

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:01:22

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 99.169.231.198

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jay Turner

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not permit hunting of this iconic animal!

## #759

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:19:05 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:25:47 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:42 **IP Address:** 174.99.100.24

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sandy

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please let nature be nature. These amazing animals were almost hunted to extinction in 1975, and despite being protected under the ESA, numbskulls have still been hunting them. They NEED protection - what they don't need are folks out there trying to show how manly they are by killing an animal with a gun and then displaying it in their "trophy" room. If you do want to allow "trophy hunting", which is pointless and disgusting in itself, why don't you make it a fair fight? Instead of using guns to hunt, where an animal literally stands no chance to survive, make humans hunt with equipment that actually takes skill to use, like bows or knives. If the human wins, fine...if the bear wins it just means there's one less idiot out there.

# #760

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Edith Alston** 

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

To find space for the LIFE of the Grizzly Bear, not just one animal, is a complicated problem, I know, but not to find it is to hugely diminish the material, psychological and spiritual life to this entire country.

# #761

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Geoffrey Cornish

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let's keep plenty of bears for our children and their kids too

## #762

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Norma Broten

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We have a huge impact on the earth and everything that

lives here. We may alter grizzly bears by hunting. The bears that are somewhat tolerant of humans will be the first to be killed because of that trait. In the future, the bears that survived will be the very wary. Then, we as humans will not have the joy of watching them and the ones we do encounter will be even more dangerous to humans because of their genetic inheritance.

# #763

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:41 **IP Address:** 71.192.118.249

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the hunting or trapping of grizzly bears.

# #764

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:37 **IP Address:** 67.186.1.37

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Q1

Name (optional):

James Staszewski

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If you allow hunting of this threatened species, I will not spend \$ in Montana or any other state that has such policies.

# #765

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:28:34 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:29:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:03 **IP Address:** 24.35.91.208

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michelle

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Just say no.

# #766

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to Grizzly hunting.

# #767

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Debra and Gary Hendricks

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No to needless trophy hunt.

# #768

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:35 **IP Address:** 68.107.62.145

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Q1

Name (optional):

Margot Lowe

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Trophy hunting.

# #769

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 20:27:20 **IP Address:** 68.193.249.173

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Q1

Name (optional):

J Wiz

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

While I am neutral when it comes to sustenance hunting, I am opposed to trophy hunting.

# #770

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm opposed to trophy hunting of grizzly bears, especially in designated wilderness areas.

# #771

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:35:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:36:43 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP KILLING GRIZZLIES....STOP KILLING WILDLIFE. SAVE THE WILDERNESS AREAS THESE BEARS & WILDLIFE DESPERATELY NEED.

## #772

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:37 **IP Address:** 71.202.153.111

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Q1

Name (optional):

Craig Warren

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #773

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:45 **IP Address:** 76.14.26.47

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Q1

Name (optional):

Judith Kirk

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #774

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barry Meikle

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop this stupid stuff. We don't need to kill more of nature.

# #775

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sandra Cobb

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bear numbers need to increase to be viable. Oppose all hunting of these bears in any area. They must be permitted to become sustainable to do their job for the environment and other wildlife.

# #776

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kathy Brown

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please DO NOT KILL the great Grizzly Bears!

## #777

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears!

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #778

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tracy Darby

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, especially in this trying time, people need to see wildlife and nature to help us cope. Please don't allow grizzly bear hunting, please. Thank you

## #779

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Daurie Pollitto

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #780

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:14 **IP Address:** 69.181.202.141

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mike Kellogg

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hi there! Please help prevent extinction of the grizzly by NOT allowing hunts to proceed. THX!

## #781

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:41:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:42:11 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:22 **IP Address:** 67.86.146.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nancy Pollitto

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #782

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:40:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:42:39 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:48 **IP Address:** 24.254.211.88

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nancy Bland

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is an unnecessary self-indulgence in the first place. Hunting animals who are already imperiled by habitat loss is worse. No grizzly bear trophy hunts!

## #783

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:42:21 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:42:44 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:22 **IP Address:** 67.86.146.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Pollitto

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #784

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 73.72.20.74

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ellen sharkey

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the hunters hunt each other! The Wole world will be better off!

## #785

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:42:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:42:56 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:33 **IP Address:** 67.86.146.163

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Q1

Name (optional):

Noel Stoll

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #786

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:36 **IP Address:** 173.94.255.87

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Q1

Name (optional):

Frances M.

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I honestly don't see how a person can kill such an intelligent animal that is also a vital part of the ecosystem. Be glad you still have them in your area.

# #787

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:41:47 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:44:20 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:33 **IP Address:** 24.217.95.216

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am totally opposed to allowing trophy hunting of any animal, but especially of grizzly bears. They must be allowed to exist in their habitat as best they can.

# #788

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:38:07 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:44:58 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:50 **IP Address:** 162.135.0.60

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Q1

Name (optional):

Matt Richardson

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Montana FW&P, we lost our grizzlies entirely in California. Totally extirpated. As an avid outdoorsman I do not support hunting of grizzlies. I do plan to visit your state, spend dollars supporting the local economy, and go fly fishing in the Bob Marshal Wilderness one day. I really hope to be in the Bob in peace and quite on the river without hunters scouring the hillsides for Grizzlies. Just as Grizzlies are the crux of being delisted, we shouldn't immediately open them up for hunting. That would be like celebrating a success by cutting it off at the legs. Give them some reprieve.

# #789

# COMPLETE

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 00:00:52

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 108.206.108.25

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sharon Russick

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears.

# #790

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:46:51 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:47:41 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:50 **IP Address:** 172.58.228.179

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbra Music

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop all grizzly bear hunting now!

# #791

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:46:04 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:47:58 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:54 **IP Address:** 174.192.64.187

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lisa

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting of any wild animal should not be allowed. Let them live in natural habitat.

# #792

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:46:13 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:49:35 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:21 **IP Address:** 73.164.254.41

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Laura Hanks

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to allowing "trophy hunting" of Grizzly bears for the following reasons:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #793

### COMPLETE

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Randal James

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Maybe we should have an open season on this council so that a few of their heads could serve as trophys on someones wall.

These so called hunters are only out to have another trophy they can put on the wall. They probably do not even eat the meat or use the hide for anything useful. All they are after is bragging rights!

I am a hunter myself but I DO NOT hunt for trophys I EAT what I KILL and that is the ONLY reason that I hunt.

Maybe if these trophy hunters were going to eat what tehy KILL it woulkd be better. But that IS NOT what MOST of these FOOLS are out for!

# #794

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #795

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:26 **IP Address:** 174.224.0.243

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tammera Hinshaw

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is no need for killing of creatures that have just as much right to live as we do. Please stop it.

# #796

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Corinna Duncan

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO to trophy hunting!!

# #797

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:51:55 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:53:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:24 **IP Address:** 91.48.127.243

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hunting Grizzly Bears must never be allowed. We have to save the environment including the bears.

# #798

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:00:35

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 206.53.23.239

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Q1

Name (optional):

Bob Raskey

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Sick, time to stop this B.S.

# #799

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:54:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:56:05 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:50 **IP Address:** 76.217.96.108

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly bear hunting allowed!!! Save them for future generations to enjoy. The ecosystem needs predictors too! They belong in the wild.

# #800

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:41 **IP Address:** 172.58.19.2

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Q1

Name (optional):

Janet Larson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the bears!

# #801

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:53:11 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:57:00 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:49 **IP Address:** 96.240.11.16

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lynn Z.

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Grizzly Bear should by protected and cherished as an iconic symbol of America and should not be allowed to be hunted. Grizzlies should remain on the Endangered Species List. Thank you.

# #802

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:02 **IP Address:** 71.34.82.187

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Q1

Name (optional):

William L Wilson

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am adamantly opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #803

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:05 **IP Address:** 50.196.160.201

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Q1

Name (optional):

Beverley Santiago

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop this inhumane culling. These animals are as entitled to the land as we are.

# #804

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 73.218.104.158

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the madness of killing!

# #805

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:07:06 **IP Address:** 91.48.127.243

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bears should not be allowed for trophy-hunting, never and nowhere. They are an important species for the environment and must not be killed just for fun. They and their habitat have to be saved for the future.

# #806

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:56

**IP Address:** 172.115.104.239

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diane Gonzales

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, do not make it legal to kill grizzly bears for trophy hunters. Grizzly bears are iconic animals belonging to all of us. It would be unconscious able to allow them to be hunted. Especially for trophies!

# #807

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:01:33 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:04:22 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:49 **IP Address:** 24.0.209.171

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Q1

Name (optional):

Irene Martone

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the killing of all wildlife. You're killing our planet. INHUMANITY ON A MASSIVE SCALE. You kill our species, guess who's next? YOU know the reasons to stop the slaughter: So STOP it.

# #808

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #809

# COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:53

**IP Address:** 173.190.153.149

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Q1

Name (optional):

**David Best** 

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears! Montana is among my very favorite places to vacation. There are others, and you decision on this issue will be factored into my vacationing decisions.

# #810

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:03:49 **IP Address:** 69.126.137.185

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Governor Bullock's Sleazy Bear "Advisory" Council,

YOU SLIMY ASSHOLES.

DON'T FUCK THIS UP BECAUSE YOU WANT TO HUNT SOME FUCKING BEARS.

# #811

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:44

**IP Address:** 174.232.135.149

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lorraine Cathala

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please prohibit the senseless slaughter of grizzly bears. Thank you.

# #812

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:04:15 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:08:07 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:51

**IP Address:** 204.195.159.126

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Q1

Name (optional):

Irena Franchi

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose Trophy Hunting.

# #813

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:05:25 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:08:37 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:12 **IP Address:** 71.203.40.113

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Sue Baker

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why can't people just leave the wild animals alone?! Many of them are on the tip of extinction. It is reprehensible that governments would still allow hunting.

# #814

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:05:34 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:09:44 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:09 **IP Address:** 98.202.177.231

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Reba Reiser

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I understand that even though grizzly bears are still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #815

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:53 **IP Address:** 73.231.12.123

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Q1

Name (optional):

Don Schwartz

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose trophy hunting for grizzly bears--or any other kinds of killing or abusing of them.

# #816

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:08:48 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:10:53 AM

 Time Spent:
 00:02:05

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 98.232.132.234

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Marsh

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlys need our continued protection. Do not allow trophy hunting.

# #817

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:46:57 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:11:13 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:24:15 **IP Address:** 71.161.93.155

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gail Szafir

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

# #818

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:28:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:11:34 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:42:43 **IP Address:** 72.174.132.130

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dawn Serra

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Thank you for accepting comments on grizzly bear management in Montana. I am adamantly opposed to any hunting of grizzly bears at any time. Grizzlies have been reduced to only a minuscule fraction of their native range, despite their important place in the wild. We should protect the grizzly wherever it still roams by learning to adjust how we live on the land, and we should encourage grizzlies to repopulate areas they once lived. The wild places of our state are one of the best reasons for living here and we need to protect these places and their wildlife.

# #819

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:19 **IP Address:** 73.164.250.78

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Q1

Name (optional):

Celia Wulff

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #820

#### COMPLETE

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Stephen Dickstein

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams. Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range.

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Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

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# #821

# COMPLETE

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 00:04:52

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 71.205.225.85

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kevin

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am against the hunting of grizzly bears. If hunters need to kill things for food, or to feel "manly", they should stick to herbivores that are over-populating their environment.

# #822

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:11 **IP Address:** 24.49.28.23

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Q1

Name (optional):

sheila sylvester

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

save the grizzley bears. There is enough space for both grizzly bear and people, especially in the state of Montana.

# #823

# COMPLETE

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 8.25.233.5

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Q1

Name (optional):

R

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protecting these animals that were here before us is a moral obligation to the whole world.

# #824

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 24.112.172.132

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lynn

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

you should always protect wildlife

## #825

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:11:30 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:15:56 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:26 **IP Address:** 76.250.36.94

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Jaeger

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of trophy hunting within, or outside of, Wilderness areas. Placing human ego above a species that is still recovering goes beyond just being unethical. Instead of killing for fun, how about if we instead find ways of coexisting with nature rather than trying to dominate it.

# #826

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 107.77.231.165

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Q1

Name (optional):

C.E. Haggard

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is inappropriate in today's world. Please encourage men to find other ways to feel virile. Thank you.

## #827

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:20:55 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:21:40 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:45 **IP Address:** 100.8.78.227

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Q1

Name (optional):

Erin

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #828

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:17:37 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:22:51 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:13 **IP Address:** 65.131.122.237

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lynn Heeren

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow hunting of grizzly's in Montana. Doing so will undo all the years of protection and planning, and result in loss of the last place in the lower 48 where the specie can survive without threat of being hunted.

## #829

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:20:26 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:23:01 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:34 **IP Address:** 99.75.20.98

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kevin Byrne

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the hunting or disturbance of grizzly bears, which have had far too much interference from our species. It is very sad to see the image of a grizzly on the California flag, when they have been so terribly threatened. A creature like this deserves our utmost respect, not unnecessary and premature death.

## #830

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:09:13 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:23:19 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:14:05 **IP Address:** 67.45.96.86

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diana Rowell

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why is it that ALL repukeCONS LOVE to KILL and MURDER any living entity that questions their power and control? Because you're a bunch of NAZI SCUM hiding under a major political party, that's WHY! We plan to launch a MAJOR campaign to OUT you for the NAZI enemies that YOU ARE!

# #831

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:35 **IP Address:** 72.168.144.36

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Q1

Name (optional):

ronald smith

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

a bear hunt is utterly insane.

# #832

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 173.22.211.253

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Q1

Name (optional):

Christine Austin

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the Grizzly.

### #833

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:21:59 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:25:52 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:52 **IP Address:** 70.36.214.193

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Q1

Name (optional):

Damon Maguire

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Apex predators are vital to healthy ecosystems, which in turn are best for both humans and animals. Please don't allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. These creatures face enough challenges with climate change and habitat destruction. They don't need to be stalked by idiots that want to put their heads on a wall.

## #834

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:23:16 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:25:54 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:38 **IP Address:** 50.125.228.68

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please to not allow bear hunting in Montana.

# #835

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:26:08 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:26:47 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:39 **IP Address:** 97.70.44.54

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan K

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm against this.

# #836

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:25:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:27:01 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:16 **IP Address:** 76.108.234.19

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Q1

Name (optional):

Roni masorma

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect our wildlife

### #837

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:26:59 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:27:17 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:18 **IP Address:** 72.174.132.130

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Theodora Carroll

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I think grizzly bear hunting and killing in this day and age of a major environmental/climate crisis is a total aberration, not at all commonsensical, very cruel and unnecessary, and downright stupid, given the collapse and demise of so many of our species. We do not need to add the grizzly to that, given it is a keystone species that basically helps our environment and us (stupid, callous) humans to survive. I worry that the Advisory council, like so many of these groups, is in the grip of the gun and hunting lobbies – perhaps I am wrong on that, but their lack of sound, scientific-based, and compassionate action to date would indicate that they will end up supporting yet more large predator, such as the grizzly-bear, killing.

## #838

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:26:23 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:28:22 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:59 **IP Address:** 67.11.181.188

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not hunt and kill Grizzly Bears. They are a natural part of our habitat and deserve to live in peace as you do.

## #839

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:28:53 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:29:53 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:00 **IP Address:** 73.203.119.195

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE! No grizzly bear hunting...what a terrible idea. Protect our wildlife. Thank you.

# #840

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:29:45 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:31:32 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:46 **IP Address:** 93.230.145.19

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Q1

Name (optional):

Christian Baumgarten

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bears are a important part of the top of the natural food chain and therefore have a vital role to play. Stop hunting Bears and go for picture trophies instead!

# #841

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:30:28 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:31:38 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:09

**IP Address:** 185.221.132.141

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Q1

Name (optional):

David

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing is sick. These beautiful animals are NOT put on Earth yo be killed by aggressive. Sick sub humans.

## #842

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:30:20 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:31:50 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:30 **IP Address:** 73.41.209.115

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Q1

Name (optional):

Brett Bankie

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears aren't "trophies." They are part of our national history and ecosystems. There are no good reasons to kill these animals. They should especially be protected in our national parks, forests and wilderness areas.

# #843

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:25:44 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:33:27 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:07:42 **IP Address:** 23.240.229.178

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Q1

Name (optional):

nancy steiner

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the GRIZZLY BEAR to be killed for a trophy! They are on the edge of extinction and are an important part of our ecosystem. Please vote NO on Montana's attempt to allow trophy hunting of GRIZZLY BEARS.

## #844

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:25:50 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:33:29 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:07:38 **IP Address:** 66.62.151.151

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Steve Paulson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Get a life you idiots.

trophy hunting grizzly bears?

I find that I can not be polite to this kind of idiocy.

Just mark my comment as opposing any grizzly bear hunting until there are, say, 30,000 bears in Montana.?

Steve

## #845

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:36 **IP Address:** 12.44.154.17

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Beth Bowling

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #846

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:06 **IP Address:** 68.76.146.198

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Able

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the bears raise their cubs in peace. No hunting!

## #847

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:29:10 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:35:22 AM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please note trophy hunting of grizzly bears they are a part of the wilderness preservation system and I love to view them from a distance. These are magnificent animals that deserve a chance to roam the wilds of Montana

## #848

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Linda Smith

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are an important keystone species. Trophy hunting is entirely unnecessary.

## #849

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:32:40 AM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:36:08 AM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:27 **IP Address:** 137.101.43.23

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Q1

Name (optional):

Steve Frankham

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are still a highly endangered species in the lower 48. They also are an essential part of functional wilderness eco-system. Bears should be protected. Under no circumstances should trophy hunting of bears be permitted in Montana.

# #850

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Denise Plymale

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let them live!!

# #851

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Nagel

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to protect the Grizzly Bear -- there are so few wild creatures still in our wilderness. Folks who live nearby and those who visit the wilderness know how to protect themselves.

## #852

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Valerie Bergeron

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #853

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

i am entirely opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears - if it is ever allowed i will stop spending my tourist dollars in montana

### #854

#### COMPLETE

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Darrin McKeehen

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #855

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Q1

Name (optional):

Pat

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow a grizzly bear hunt! This will have a large negative impact on Montana's tourism industry, and given how rare these bears are in the lower 48, they should be protected at all costs!

# #856

#### COMPLETE

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 23.114.183.162

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jean Mont-Eton

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop trophy hunting for grizzly bears.

## #857

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gina Norman

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Good morning! Grizzly bear populations are not stable, and hunting them, especially for sport is unwarranted and wrong. Restoring the Grizzly populations will help to restore a balanced ecology.

## #858

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ellen McCann

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We have a responsibility as STEWARDS of this planet to care for it's critters not shoot them for pleasure or trophies. It makes absolutely no sense and you can tell your grandchildren why there aren't any more bears. You know what's right...stand up for it.

## #859

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #860

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Laura Guttridge

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Animals are facing grave dangers these day. It's hard enough for them to stay alive without people intentionally killing them. Please have a heart, and give these poor animals a break.

# #861

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave them be !!!!!!!!

# #862

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

J.N. Petzak

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears, on public lands or anywhere else. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Trophy hunting is cruel, senseless, and completely unnecessary. Do not allow it.

# #863

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:58 **IP Address:** 68.134.208.25

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Q1

Name (optional):

Everett B

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't kill these beautiful animals for sport! If you do, you are the animals.

# #864

## COMPLETE

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## Q1

Name (optional):

John and Phyllis Edwards and family

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Caring for all God's creature is a goal of many of us!

# #865

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:54 **IP Address:** 104.140.13.228

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Katherine Iosif

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #866

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am very much opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears, especially on public lands. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #867

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Q1

Name (optional):

bill manser

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

as an endangered species, grizzly bears should be protected from humans....

# #868

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:06 **IP Address:** 99.58.49.227

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Q1

Name (optional):

sharon

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, please, please use compassion and care to preserve these beautiful creatures who are, indeed here to serve their purpose in the environment/on this planet.

# #869

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:00:56

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 73.156.122.237

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sharon O'Connell

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect our great creatures so we may live together in peace.

# #870

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:38 **IP Address:** 70.95.61.21

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lauren

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Keep America great, preserve the iconic grizzly!

# #871

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

# #872

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dameta Robinson

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to this idea. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Thank you.

# #873

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marion Fiore

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It is very rare that Bears kill humans they are important to the eco system and many people care about these animals as they do all wildlife Bear are not eaten the hunting or trapping of them is not ok!

# #874

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Montana is a great state and this act of KILLING the magnificent grizzly will cause your state to diminish in the eyes of every citizen in these United States. Shame on this advisory council to even think of such a preposterous idea. Shame on the lot of you men!!!

# #875

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

James Morrison

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bears are protected so don't hunt them for sport as it ruins the ecosystem.

## #876

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

"No Trophy Hunting"

The grizzly bear is not only featured on Wilderness Watch's logo, but the Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Now is your chance to raise your voice for grizzly bears and tell the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council that you are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their surviva

# #877

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Tourists pay many times more to see Montana grizzlies in the wild compared to what big game hunters and guides pay to the state.

More grizzlies disappear more tourists disappear. Less revenue for the state.

# #878

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rita Franco

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #879

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joan Bailey

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears should not be hunted; instead they should be protected.

Their population numbers are ok in some areas, but down in others.

# #880

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

**ELIZABETH ROOT** 

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #881

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

maria gregory

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

please help the bears

# #882

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:59

**IP Address:** 167.172.205.186

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rick Kemenesi

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #883

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

What sport is there is hunting an unarmed animal? NO!!

# #884

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Barratt

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting of grizzlies!

Sincerely,

M. Barratt

# #885

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Julie H

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Pls do NOT start allowing hunting of grizzly bears in the public wildlands. They are already too persecuted and hunted as it is- and their low population density means addtl.hunting will likely expatriate them from the state. Thank you, Julie H.

## #886

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Malene McIver

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a native of Missoula, I have spent many summers hiking in the Bob Marshall wilderness, and treasure this unique area with its unparalleled beauty. The grizzly bear is as much of a symbol of the wild of Montana as the bison. These bears and ALL wildlife in Montana need to be protected for generations to come. Allowing trophy hunters to even come into our state says how little we care about its inhabitants. You MUST do EVERYTHING in your power to protect the Grizzly bear and all wildlife in Montana. If you allow trophy hunters to enter Montana, you will be overrun and our ecosystem will be disrupted forever. PLEASE PLEASE PROTECT OUR WILDLIFE!!

# #887

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Q1

Name (optional):

Donna

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Keystone species are extremely important to the area. Our white tail deer populations are far too large. Nature is in a constant state of balance and when people change the balance, nature is damaged.

# #888

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Roberta Jasper

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Abstain from killing Grizzly Bears and other wildlife for Sport

## #889

### COMPLETE

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Rob Seltzer

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear is not only featured on Wilderness Watch's logo, but the Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

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Now is your chance to raise your voice for grizzly bears and tell the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council that you are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #890

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect the Grizzly Bear population from hunting.

## #891

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diana Mucha

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I urge you to review scientific data on the specifics of Grizzly Bears; their habitat, place among the species, benefit to nature by way of keeping certain populations in check, benefits to controlling nature through their vegetarian diet of plants/berries eaten then seeds dispersed in their feces, value to tourism through sightings, and the real criteria of how their status became protected and why. I hope those that do actually take the time to do independent reviews of scientific data not corrupted by special interests, will realize the positive movement since their protection is still only allowing them a very small livelihood zone and a very small population compared with as little as 30 years ago. I urge Montana to not become the State that instigates a reversal of positive effort and result, especially not at the cost to a keystone predator species already regularly killed by other human means such as vehicles and farmland "control". I thank you for reading my plea. Sincerely, Diana Mucha

# #892

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jim

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, NO trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears. Thank you...

# #893

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow "trophy" killing of these animals.

# #894

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

renee burgan

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the unnecessary and shameful killing of Grizzly Bears. Greed should never outweigh nature and those who call the outdoors their home. Thank you.

# #895

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

To allow hunting of Grizzly Bears, is completely unacceptable in this day and age. Why would this even be an option? Preservation/protection of the bears should be your first/main priority- that and making sure they will always have a sustainable habitat to thrive in.

## #896

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Trophy Hunting, please!

The Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Because some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Please consider my comment when making your decision.

## #897

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marie Raich

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

With all due respect, I am sorry to say that it would be irresponsible to allow trophy hunting of the iconic grizzly bears. This animal is on the endangered list and has to be allowed to recover. Furthermore Bears and other wildlife are worth more alive than as a wall ornament for the tourism they attract to the states they live in.

## #898

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

kill a bear, manhood proven.

## #899

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Betty Vanderwielen

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears. Subsistence hunting is an entirely different thing from hunting just to hang a bear's head on a wall and brag toyour friends about it. Grizzlies have enough to contend with between habitat depletion and climate change. Don't let trophy hunters create an additional hurdle for their survival.

## #900

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Linda Baxter

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Animal trophies are inhumane

# #901

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

April Tackett

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No to trophy hunting!

## #902

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

THis should not be allowed

## #903

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need these bears

## #904

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Debbie Pollet

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP killing our BEARS!!!!!!!!

## #905

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please let these magnificent animals continue their journey toward becoming once more the crucial part of the wonderful ecosystems of the great state of Montana!

## #906

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect our wild places and the creatures who live in them. Thank you

## #907

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Q1

Name (optional):

Andrea Zemel

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why would you give permission to hunt and kill your valuable natural resource?

## #908

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Q1

Name (optional):

Laura B.

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

My family and I are very invested in supporting wildlife and wild places. It is critical that we continue to preserve and protect our wild lands and creatures. It is incredibly sad that our country only has 1,500 grizzlies at this time. We should do far more to protect our top predators as they are key to healthy ecosystems. My family holds family reunions at national parks and in national forests to support our wildlife. Please, please consider banning hunting of any kind of these magnificent creatures. Trophy hunting of grizzlies when they are so rare is abhorrent. Thank you for your consideration.

## #909

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave the Grizzly bear alone, soon there will be no wildlife left especially since covid 19 is also killing animals

# #910

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Shelby L. Hood

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO to Grizzly Bear hunting!!!!

## #911

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is neither conservative nor progressive. It is a travesty to God's creation and another indication of how depraved humans can be. If a grizzly is actively threatening human lives on an ongoing basis, euthanizing MIGHT be considered as a LAST RESORT, but attacks on living beings for sport should be a crime.

# #912

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We should be learning during this health crisis that ALL life is precious and should not be taken for granted or, for heaven's sake, a trophy to puto display

# #913

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Q1

Name (optional):

Annemarie Prairie

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do everything you can to protect the grizzly's. They have a right to be here and we need to keep our ecosystem balanced.

# #914

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This is in humane, and I beg of you not to let this happen. Trophy hunting is a disgusting activity that should have been stopped years ago. Please do not allow this to take place.

# #915

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Laura

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the "trophy hunting" of grizzly bears in Montana. Please do not permit this practice.

## #916

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Mari Smeti

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Grizzly Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the Great Bear still roams.

Grizzly Bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover Grizzly Bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 Grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states, and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range.

Grizzly Bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking Grizzly deaths in Montana. Even though the Grizzly Bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of Grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks. If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would NO LONGER be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where Grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot Grizzly Bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing Grizzly Bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival; MOREOVER, there is no rational purpose for Trophy Hunting — these so-called "hunters" (depravedly cruel) MUST find another way to get their jollies and leave our ANIMALS ALONE — LET our Grizzlies LIVE.

## #917

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:39:01 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:41:07 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:06 **IP Address:** 174.209.9.178

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## Q1

Name (optional):

Nicole Shaffer

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose the trophy hunting of grizzly bears. These apex predators should be treasured and protected, not exploited as a money maker for someone's senseless and selfish bragging rights.

## #918

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:21:41 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:42:46 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:21:04 **IP Address:** 24.108.59.35

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Q1

Name (optional):

kathleen landers

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

you give them just enough to begin to flourish and then you allow people to go in and kill them. leave them alone let nature take care of itself. there will only enough bears for the amount of food . they don't need us.

# #919

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:42:33 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:43:55 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:21 **IP Address:** 24.23.239.4

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sheila Sheppard

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This Earth doesn't just belong to us humans. It belongs to all of us living creatures. Please protect the grizzlies!

## #920

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Council,

Please remember, the Grizzly Bear represents many things to a large population of diverse people. Therefore, to have a hunt just to please a few is foolishness. The bear's comeback was a result of this diverse group people working together so the bear is once again part of the ecosystem. It gives me a good feeling to know that more people see the wisdoms in healthy ecosystems.

Thanks, Ralph Fischer

# #921

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Scott Hutter

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why do we have to be hunting things? Let the wildlife live! We are destroying this planet and everything in it! Once they bears are gone, it is forever!

# #922

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mark Rhynsburger

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These bears are too magnificent to hunt for pleasure.

## #923

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:42:07 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:45:45 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

sheldon papierman

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The wonderful American icon of the wilderness was not meant to be a trophy but to live out its natural life unharmed! Do not allow Grizzlies to be hunted!

## #924

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

## #925

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

marilyn evenson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The grizzly bear is an American icon, a symbol of the wilderness, & an intricate part of the ecosystem. They should be protected, not hunted. They were listed under the ESA in 1975. Recovery has been slow due to various reasons. There are only 1500 bears in the 48 states. Even tho they are still protected under the ESA, Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of the grizzly bear even on pubic lands & wilderness areas. I am opposed to trophy hunting. Grizzlies need to recover more & be an integral part of the ecosystem. Trophy hunting is inhumane, unnecessary, & ethically wrong. Please do not allow trophy hunting of these magnificent animals in the great state of Montana. Thank you

# #926

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Burnett

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a hunter, I am opposed to allowing trophy hunting of Grizzly bears.

# #927

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Belle Parr

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Haven't we done enough harm

## #928

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:52:12 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 12:53:51 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:39 **IP Address:** 50.34.97.91

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Q1

Name (optional):

barry truman

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies should be treated like gods instead of fodder for humans with ego issues. Hunting them for trophies or ANY other reason should be summarily forbidden. Open a season on Republicans instead.

## #929

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Debra Lichstein

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Thank you.

## #930

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hunting should not be a recreational "sport". Only those who plan to feed their family with the kill should get a permit.

# #931

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We must offer the utmost protection to the little remaining wilderness and wildlife we have left.

## #932

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Paul K

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

## #933

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow hunting of grizzly bears.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #934

#### COMPLETE

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

**Bradley Smith** 

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do you really need this during this time? To kill more things on this planet? How about a change for once? It won't be long before we will be saying to others about "I saw one in the wild a long time ago", about animals that we consider common and plentiful. The fact is they are not common or plentiful. For once try protecting something instead of destroying it with a bullet or arrow and the horrific pain and terror it causes.

## #935

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gus Gil

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting of grizzlies. Some people have legitimate reasons for hunting for food, but there is no legitimate reason for hunting simply for a wall hanging or rug. NONE.

## #936

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Alfred Long

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

What do I know about a grizzly bear? Absolutely nada, except they're dangerous. So do what you have to do to be a good Governor. Do the right thing.

# #937

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nadia

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

## #938

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lisa G.

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Please make the right choice to protect these valuable creatures.

## #939

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to trophy hunting of grizzlies. Ecosystems exist to provide proper habitats and irresponsibly reducing the number of grizzlies (already dangerously small) will cause the ecosystem to be compromised. Trophy hunters should be banned rather than allowing them to feed their greed by wantonly destroying wildlife.

## #940

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Brooke Alley

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are a crucial part of the ecosystem and they have just as much right to be here as we do. By respecting nature, we continue to have a place to live. We are not the only creatures on this planet, we need other species to survive, and the Earth is more powerful than us all. The planet will survive, even if that means getting rid of its inhabitants in order to do so. We need to respect, be kind, and be grateful for the constant gifts we are given in order to survive and live our lives to the fullest. Being respectful means learning to cohabitate with amazing creatures and understanding we have no more right than they to enjoy this planet. We need to stop fearing them, but rather learn from them and respect them, instead of and causing pain and death and eventual extinction.

# #941

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Amanda Withrow

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not hunt grizzly bears!

### #942

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Denise Featherstone

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I find it unconscionable, that you would even consider allowing the Grizzly bear to be slaughtered. Is your goal to wipe out all endangered animals? Please, you have the power to not let this happen. Send those hunters home, where maybe they can do some good in this country. People are dying all over the country. We don't need more death here. Living animals should be the only "trophy" allowed in this country.

## #943

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ellen Barr

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There isn't enough wildlife remaining untouched by human intrusion. Don't kill the Grizzly.

## #944

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Root

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO HUNTING OF GRIZZLIES OR WOLVES. PERIOD.

# #945

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Rivers

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am vehemently opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #946

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

John Ostaszewski

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana. Please ban trophy hunting.

# #947

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joseph I. Vincent

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Get real! Trophy hunting only at Mar-a-Largo.

## #948

#### COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #949

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Q1

Name (optional):

susan ponchot

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #950

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please make good decisions.

## #951

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Q1

Name (optional):

Danielle Baehm

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop allowing people to hunt and kill grizzly bears in Montana. Your state is know for it's beautiful landscapes and wilderness and by allowing the hunting of one of your most iconic species you are degrading what makes your state wonderful. Please stop allowing this to continue.

# #952

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm opposed to trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

## #953

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Curtis Swan

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #954

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

James S Turner

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #955

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rochelle Banks

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please let thye Bears live. Thank you Live and Let Live!

## #956

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Larry Farwell

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I have spent time hiking in Alaska in Grizzly Bear territory. I was also aware, saw many griz and never had a problem. Grizzly bears are a natural part of a balanced environment and should be protected. If ranchers lose livestock to natural preditors they should be reimbursed the value of their loss. A complete environment is a healthy environment.

## #957

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Q1

Name (optional):

Doug Theroux

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing Grizzlies for selfish and self-serving interest of hunter is nothing short of tragic... It tragic that a human being feels the need to kill such a Majestic Creature to get some kind of perverse satisfaction... I know there are better things that one could be doing to feel good about them selves... Or at least make it fair, and let them hunt with a knife...

## #958

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:38 **IP Address:** 76.125.53.186

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Q1

Name (optional):

Claudia Mackey

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose trophy hunting of grizzly bears in Montana. If trophy hunting were allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Thank you for your consideration.

## #959

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of Grizzlies. What amazing treasures we have in our country and we should preserve them, not destroy.

# #960

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:18:14 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:20:19 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:04 **IP Address:** 184.21.101.10

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gail Battaglia

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are barely back from the brink of extinction. They reproduce slowly. DO NOT allow hunters to trophy hunt them! It's ludicrous to allow that!!

# #961

### COMPLETE

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Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:19:18 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:20:24 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jennifer Barton

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I urge you not to allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears in Montana.

## #962

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:13:23 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:21:46 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:08:23 **IP Address:** 174.21.84.147

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Dr. Michael W. Shurgot

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

#### Dear Council:

In my 76 + years I have spent a considerable; le amount of time in Montana's wilderness and National Parks, especially Glacier National Park, hiking with Seattle Mountaineers and also with my two adult children. I took them to GNP so they could experience and learn to respect the awesome beauty of true wilderness.

The idea of trophy hunting of top and endangered predators in these spectacular wild places is nauseous to me. Wild animals and wilderness do not exist to be violated for "sport" to boost the egos of maniacs with guns. Even thinking about allowing trophy hunting for Grizzly Bears is unconscionable, and must never be allowed.

Do your duty to protect wilderness and its denizens, who deserve to live in peace without human interference. That is, after all, why wilderness was officially created in The Wilderness Act of 1964!

Thank you.

-Dr. Michael W. Shurgot

# #963

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lanette Rapp

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

To kill an animal for a trophy? Something very wrong in taking a life for that.

# #964

### COMPLETE

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Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:21:22 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:22:04 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

wendy smith

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save the bears

## #965

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

**Trophy Hunting** 

The grizzly bear is not only featured on Wilderness Watch's logo, but the Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #966

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Irene Kraus

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why can't people respect and honor the lives of all animals?? They have a right to life as humans do! I will never be able to understand the high and excitement of killing a living creature. PLEASE RETHINK!

# #967

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Denis Zafiros

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Wildlife is more precious than you know

# #968

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:22:58 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 1:24:32 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:34 **IP Address:** 75.188.37.168

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Q1

Name (optional):

Leslie Giles

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Killing animals just for trophies should be outlawed.

# #969

# COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As to trophy hunting Grizzly Bears:

JUST SAY NO!!!!

# #970

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kathleen

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the grizzlies, please!

# #971

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mr. Anje' Waters

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a former longtime resident of Bozeman, I know the value of a healthy ecosystem. Grizzlies are an integral part of a healthy system. I hiked and camped and backpacked throughout Montana. Grizzlies deserve and need to be protected.

# #972

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tricia Rizzi

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears is contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #973

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:26 **IP Address:** 136.49.20.15

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jill Bailey

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. They have low reproductive rates and are currently considered an endangered species. It has taken years to increase their numbers. Allowing hunting of these creatures makes no sense.

# #974

# COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:00 **IP Address:** 71.198.180.80

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Q1

Name (optional):

Andrea

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow our precious grizzly bears to be hunted. Allow our grandchildren to be able to see and know them.

# #975

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophies are for the empty minds that value killing wildlife and cannot know the impact they have on life,and determine there own karmic fate. Not favorable

# #976

# COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect them.

# #977

### COMPLETE

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## Q1

Name (optional):

Tyler Arbour

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Council.

As a native Montanan and hunter, I want to express my opposition to allowing hunting of grizzlies in our state, regardless of whether they continue to be protected by the endangered species act.

The bears still face an uphill battle to recover to anything resembling their natural historic numbers and range. Trophy hunting would bring with it many issues that could be detrimental to this recovery, as well as unnecessary fights and negative publicity in our state.

Thank you for your time.

# #978

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Pat

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #979

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Q1

Name (optional):

Natalie Hall

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the Grizzly! :)

# #980

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sandra A. Rakestraw

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Good grief! It is incomprehensible to me how people can support "grizzly bear hunting" in this age of intelligence, education, and enlightenment. I fail to understand how this activity benefits the grizzly bear? Shall we now please move away from the Mountain Man mentality and let nature be its own self as it rightly is and should remain so? Thank you.

# #981

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:29 **IP Address:** 52.201.126.139

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Boehling

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #982

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Weber

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I have spent time in Montana hiking and camping, and have seen grizzly bears on several occasions, at a distance. They are a magnificent creature, and should be protected.

Hunters cannot help themselves their greed and trophies, bragging rights, but the grizzly bear should not be the target of this unsustainable greed. They are not the only ones with an interest in wilderness, and public lands, the rest of us who live and enjoy the peace and quiet of these area have equal or MORE rights than simply going to destroy an animal, a rare animal.

From this last crisis we just went through, it is so important to have areas that people can go, feel safe, not threatened to enjoy peach and quiet, clean air, without having that peacefulness broken by sounds of gunfire.

Hunters have plenty of places to practice their sport, WITHOUT going into wilderness, and public lands. Besides, in case no one is aware, those type of hunters are a thing of the past!!!

# #983

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Dr. Donna L. Hart

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a frequent backpacker and hiker in Montana, particularly in Glacier and the Bob Marshall Wilderness, I want to state my firm, adamant opposition to grizzly bear trophy hunting. Why do my family and I want to visit Montanta? Because we know it is home to many large predators who have been extirpated in other states. ion in many states. Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Trophy hunting of grizzly bears should not be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am urging the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council that to oppose trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #984

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:54 **IP Address:** 72.79.210.249

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Q1

Name (optional):

cathy twiss

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Don't be assholes and leave the bears alone!

# #985

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

allison Miller

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

YEs, please save our natural Grizzly Bears they shouldn't be hunted

# #986

#### COMPLETE

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Cheryl Mitchell

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am an attorney in Washington State. I am a former chairperson of the Washington State Bar Association's Animal Law Section. My comments are my own and do not represent the views of either the Bar Association or the Animal Law Section. My reason for writing is to state that I am absolutely opposed to the killing of grizzly bears for trophy hunters.

It is my understanding that Montana allows bear baiting, and this is, in no way, a "sport." Using high-powered guns to kill bears is not a sport.

Sadly, some people find a great deal of joy and satisfaction in killing animals and mounting their heads on walls so the killer can constantly admire his or her work. Numerous psychological studies have demonstrated the close links between killing animals and human violence. Killing animals is, by its very nature, violent and bloody.

The grizzly bear population has not sufficiently recovered so that killing them should be permitted. Killing animals for fun is an activity that is fraught with psychological issues. Trophy hunting is something that is about 100 years out-of-date and should be relegated to history.

# #987

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Lou Minerva

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

So sad and disappointing that we have to explain how ridiculously ignorant and stupid it is that you even considered this. Grizzly bears, all bears and wolves, are beloved in the US. In terms you can understand you will lose millions in tourist revenue when all the wildlife is dead.

# #988

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ray Valadez

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, please do not allow hunting of these majestic animals, hunting them for sport would be a crime.

# #989

### COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. That's what our Wilderness Areas are supposed to be for, not to grow beautiful grizzlies for someone's trophy room. Grizzlies are an essential part of the ecosystem and should be treated as such. Thank you for letting us provide our comments.

# #990

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Yes

# #991

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Annetta Smith

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do NOT allow Grizzly Bear trophy hunts. These magnificent animals are an integral part of the wildlife of your state and much more valuable to you as ambassadors rather than stuffed animals for little people who love killing defenseless creatures to make themselves feel big and powerful. Don't do that!

# #992

### COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #993

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Linda Jennings

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to hunting grizzly bears in Montana. Today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #994

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sherry Oliveri

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. I oppose bear hunting in Montana.

# #995

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

"No Trophy Hunting"

Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #996

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a hunter, fisherman and prior employee of the US Forest Service and BLM, I feel that it is unnecessary to allow the hunting of top tier predators such as the Grizzly bear because of their importance to the ecosystem they're living in. There is a critical balance in all ecosystems and those balances are easily disrupted because of shortsighted measures like trophy hunting the wrong species. The Grizzly is the wrong species to be hunted in their current ranges at this current time.

# #997

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Q1

Name (optional):

T West

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Our ecosystem is more fragile than people imagine. It is critical that we strive to maintain it as much as possible.

# #998

# COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop trophy hunting!!!

# #999

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sherry

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

no hunting of bears period, they deserve a chance at survival, they here here first

# #1,000

# COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Thomas Gilmore

# Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do all that you can to save the Grizzley bear population in Montana.

# #1,001

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please abolish trophy hunting. No animal or being was created to become someone's trophy. Thank you.

# #1,002

# COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Robert Jones** 

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There's no point in hunting Grizzly bears. Ban the hunting of them and let them live in peace.

# #1,003

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:08:21 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:14:29 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:08 **IP Address:** 184.167.16.93

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Q1

Name (optional):

Terry McClellan

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Now that the grizzly bear has recovered from near extinction in the lower 48 it is important to maintain that status, not open the state up for hunting this iconic animal. Hunting grizzlies so some so called macho hunter can display a head on his wall is sick. I am strongly against the proposed hunting of this species.

## #1,004

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Danielle Robertson

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I'm not sure why ANY wildlife council would consider a hunt as a means of wildlife control .. especially when it comes to grizzly bears. The economics of it is irresponsible! You get a one time fee for the "chance" to kill a grizzly when, you can get millions over the course of a year from ecotourism. People, AMERICANS

# #1,005

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Katherine DeAngelis

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

stop hunting the grizzly bears

## #1,006

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:14:43 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:17:21 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:38 **IP Address:** 47.200.110.96

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Q1

Name (optional):

Claire Jackson

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Thank you

## #1,007

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Deb Giannetti

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Grizzly should be viewed as a National Treasure. Not a pestilence to be eradicated. The presence of apex predators is vital to the health of an ecosystem and the other wildlife in the area and everything down stream. Please be judicious in your future plans for this magnificent creature.

## #1,008

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am strongly opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,009

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Q1

Name (optional):

M J Burnett

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If you decided to kill grizzly bears, I will no longer vacation in your beautiful state where I have enjoyed Big Sky several times. You have the POWER to protect these bears.

## #1,010

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Even though the grizzly bear is still protected by the ESA, the state of Montana is considering allowing trophy hunting of grizzlies once they are de-listed from the ESA. Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #1,011

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nancy Fleming

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Please commit to protect our grizzly populations. Allow them the protections they need to thrive.

# #1,012

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:06:52 **IP Address:** 184.53.49.173

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gordon B

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears within America's National Wilderness Preservation System.

## #1,013

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:19 **IP Address:** 68.14.80.129

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Schnitzer

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bears need safe places to live. No trophy hunting of Grizzlies should be allowed anywhere, especially deep wilderness areas. They aren't hurting anyone, and they are very important to the local ecosystems.

## #1,014

### COMPLETE

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Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:21:59 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 2:26:18 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:18 **IP Address:** 73.66.191.252

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow Grizzly Bear hunting for any reason, especially trophy hunting. The best way to see a Grizzly Bear is in its natural habitat an should be respected an protected for they are important for the circle of life in the forests!

Thank you

# #1,015

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Charles Mickelson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If you don't need it to feed your family, don't shoot it.

# #1,016

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:44 **IP Address:** 107.216.36.244

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lynn NeSmith

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect the bears

# #1,017

## COMPLETE

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 72.209.215.119

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Q1

Name (optional):

Theresa Hebron

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing God's creatures...

# #1,018

## COMPLETE

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 00:01:26

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 71.253.161.210

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Q1

Name (optional):

Fred

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. They, and their environment, needs to be protected.

# #1,019

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:29 **IP Address:** 68.201.244.91

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Q1

Name (optional):

Melinda DeArman

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop Trophy Hunting!

## #1,020

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Megan

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am saying "No" to trophy hunting of grizzlies.

Why can't humans leave nature alone? Why do we feel the need/compulsion to finger/manage everything and anything, but ourselves? Leave the grizzlies alone.

## #1,021

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

lisa bergerud

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,022

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sheila Miller

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Animals Should be Hunted for Sport. Animals Deserve Respect and The Right to Live!

# #1,023

## COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the killing of these innocent animals.

# #1,024

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save this wonderful creature, an emblem of our wild America, and strong nation.

## #1,025

### COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Stop bending the knee to vile ranching, farming and trophy "hunting" interests, STOP!

# #1,026

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Q1

Name (optional):

Bob

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Sport hunting is not a sport, it's an illness.

# #1,027

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lyhh

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

all animals are part of our ecosystem

## #1,028

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Thom Peters

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It's way the hell past time to finally start acting civilized.

Every creature has the inherent right to survive and thrive.

Please explain why I should consider my next road trip to be Montana with this type of attitude and proposal?

# #1,029

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow hunting of Grizzlies. Leave them be in peace.

## #1,030

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marcy

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I advise this council and the Governor to not allow any trophy hunting of any grizzley bear. These bears are barely hanging on with climate change, and interference with humans and ranchers. They are listed on the ESA and many public/private coalitions need to work together for their conservation and land expansion. Please follow the science and data. Thank you,

# #1,031

## COMPLETE

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 73.227.238.236

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sable Lewis

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Animals deserve better. Compassion, not cruelty.

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# #1,032

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

KIMBERLEY WILLIAMS

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't hunt or harm those bears! Bears are SACRED!!!

## #1,033

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Molly Bradley

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Thank you!

## #1,034

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kathleen Arnold

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #1,035

### COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #1,036

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diana Rodgers

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

every animal has a purpose on this earth. Humans need to leave the Grizzly Bear alone.

# #1,037

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Chuck Lehman

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bears are National Treasures, humans do not and never will have the right to kill them for sport or meat or as a trophy. For you to allow this is unthinkable.

# #1,038

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cesarina Somogy

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave our wildlife alone! We live in progressive times and barbaric customs need to be left in the past.

# #1,039

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow for the hunting of these majestic beings. Please protect all of God's children.

# #1,040

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Animals should not be hunted, it's just that simple.

## #1,041

#### COMPLETE

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Kelly Ambler

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Our natural areas are critical for the health of the US and the health of our planet. We must do all we can today to protect these places and their inhabitants to ensure a viable future.

Thank you for your attention.

## #1,042

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diana Saxon

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

So just say NO to grizzly hunting!

# #1,043

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save the grizzly Bear from trophy hunting such an outdated and barbarous sport Thank You Johanna Orr

## #1,044

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:09:04 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:11:11 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:07 **IP Address:** 173.66.252.25

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Q1

Name (optional):

Louise Wallace

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear Governor and Council members: All wildlife should be protected every where once and for all. Each creature keeps the system balanced.

Tourists will also come to your state to see them and earn you a lot of revenue.

## #1,045

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:07:59 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:12:47 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:48 **IP Address:** 63.142.207.34

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Crampton

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I've heard about the proposed "trophy" hunting of grizzly bear in Montana. Bad idea, irresponsible proposal for fish and wildlife management, don't do it. As someone who has lived and worked in grizzly bear territory in Alaska, I see a different outlook of biodiversity, ecosystem complexities, and respect for nature. "Trophy" hunting, don't do it.

## #1,046

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:12:48 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:13:45 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:57 **IP Address:** 72.230.76.248

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Q1

Name (optional):

Virginia Bottorff

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Isn't it enough that humanity or should I say inhumanity has forced these innocent bears out of their homes, but now you want to murder them as well? Shame on you!!!

# #1,047

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:14:08 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:14:43 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Amy Anderson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow grizzly hunting. Those boys can compensate other ways.

# #1,048

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:14:15 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:14:57 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:42 **IP Address:** 66.8.203.38

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't let the Grizzly become extinct on your watch. Protect them for your children's children.

## #1,049

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:15:11 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:17:50 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:38 **IP Address:** 71.196.140.117

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Grizzly Bear needs to be protected totally in it's home range. No trophy hunting allowed. They need to be treated as a protected endangered species as they are.

# #1,050

## COMPLETE

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Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Linda

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No, please don't allow this.

## #1,051

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:14:14 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:19:45 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:30

**IP Address:** 141.126.253.241

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are mostly extinct in their former habitat, the lower 48 states. Please do not take away their protection in Montana, by permitting routine shooting of Grizzlies-- under any circumstances. As top predators, these bears are vitally important to the health of the plants and animals in their habitat. When there's a healthy Grizzly bear population, the rest of the wildlife-- plants and animals-- also is healthy, in balance with its top predator.

Should trophy hunting be permitted in Montana, great wildernesses-- Beartooth, great Bear, and others-- once a haven for these bears, will be death traps.

I urge you, help protect this wild animal: do not permit trophy hunting of Grizzly bears in Montana.

# #1,052

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:18:16 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:21:09 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:53 **IP Address:** 98.246.69.98

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Q1

Name (optional):

Leslie Austin Johnson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is no valid reason to slaughter these beautiful animals. You should focus on something that doesn't involve killing innocent animals. The bears were here first!

## #1,053

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. In addition, hunting in wilderness areas could be dangerous to the biological diversity and balance of these areas. Allowing hunting of grizzlies runs contrary to the recent efforts to increase grizzly bear numbers and to help them reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,054

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:23:07 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:24:19 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

lewis m. guess

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

save all of our wildlife

## #1,055

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:28:00 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:28:55 PM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #1,056

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:40 **IP Address:** 71.202.84.171

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect grizzly bears.

## #1,057

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:25:05 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:30:23 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:18 **IP Address:** 107.133.78.254

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Howard Whitaker

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am a frequent visitor to Montana and I am utterly opposed to the consideration being given by the state to allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears once such are delisted from the ESA.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #1,058

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:03 **IP Address:** 172.15.253.248

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,059

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP IT!

# #1,060

## COMPLETE

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Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:34:04 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:34:31 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:27 **IP Address:** 184.223.73.24

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Q1

Name (optional):

alana willroth

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO GRIZZLY BEAR HUNTING!!!!

# #1,061

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:37:10 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:37:24 PM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect these creatures.

# #1,062

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:40:34 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:41:57 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:22 **IP Address:** 108.183.32.208

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Q1

Name (optional):

Eric Bare

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunts in wild areas of endangered species are completely inappropriate.

## #1,063

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:40:12 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:42:48 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:36 **IP Address:** 47.215.238.58

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cheryl F

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There are more humane options to managing the Grizzly Bear population that do not endanger their presence in the future. I suggest that protecting your wilderness FOR the wildlife is a better long term solution for the survival of all living things.

# #1,064

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:19 **IP Address:** 50.1.19.64

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sherrill Futrell

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing our animals. They belong to God and to us, and not to you. Stop being so cruel and stupid. It makes you look bad.

# #1,065

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jeff Laik

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow the grizzly bear hunt for the sake of the tiny slice of our population that engage in trophy hunting. There is no moral basis for trophy hunting.

# #1,066

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:48:31 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:49:51 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:20 **IP Address:** 68.194.237.151

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tina Laing

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please please end hunting of grizzly bears. Haven't we had enough death lately? Thank you!

## #1,067

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:39:04 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:51:48 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:12:44 **IP Address:** 24.117.247.197

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#### Q1

Name (optional):

Aubrey Johnson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the hunting of grizzly bears in Montana. Montana is so lucky to have some of the last fully intact ecosystems in the Lower 48. That special feature attracts thousands of visitors to the state from around the world each year. The presence of a viable grizzly bear population is a large part of what attracts these visitors. Allow the bears to be hunted and not only does it become harder for visitors to see the bears, but the reputation of the state is damaged, making it a less attractive state to visit for many.

One of my great memories is of seeing wild grizzlies in Glacier National Park. Please don't destroy my fond memories of Montana by permitting the hunting of bears. Let there be just one place in the Lower 48 where bears can continue to roam free without fear of being harmed.

Thanks for your consideration.

## #1,068

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:07:46

**IP Address:** 108.252.227.158

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are necessary to help keep herd populations under control.

Shooting wild animals for sport is barbaric.

Americans need to leave our natural wild lands and wild creatures alone. They survived before the European settlers came along.

Please do not allow hunters to destroy these magnificent animals.

Don't allow your state to make grizzly bears extinct.

# #1,069

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Elizabeth Seltzer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing animals!

# #1,070

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Patrick Diehl

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting of grizzly bears, please!

# #1,071

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect our bears and wildlife.

# #1,072

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Paula Zawadzky

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bears have not recovered enough to start killing them. I oppose trophy hunting, it's not a sport, it's barbaric. Grizzlys are one of the largest predators and necessary to a balanced ecosystem

# #1,073

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

End grizzly bear hunting!!!

# #1,074

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:07 **IP Address:** 216.80.118.224

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Q1

Name (optional):

Walter G. Richard

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bears, magnificent animals, should be able to live without having to live in fear of being shot by selfish humans.

# #1,075

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

judith morgan

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO trophy hunting for grizzlies!

# #1,076

## COMPLETE

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 209.33.200.165

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Q1

Name (optional):

Diana Thayer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are part of a functioning wild ecosystem. Please do not target them.

# #1,077

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:25 **IP Address:** 63.229.210.64

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Q1

Name (optional):

Wm Walker

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO to the Grizzly Bear Trophy Hunting.

## #1,078

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:31 **IP Address:** 174.27.215.109

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jessica Lippert

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow the hunting of Grizzlies in Montana. If people don't want to live around them they should move out of Montana. I loved living in Montana for the wildlife.

# #1,079

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are among our national treasurers. Don't allow them to be hunted, PLEASE!

## #1,080

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:09 **IP Address:** 47.32.128.223

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dr. Cynthia Lewis

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,081

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:32 **IP Address:** 199.88.114.100

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jane Crownover

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save our grizzly bears. We need our bears in the wild. They were here on earth first.

## #1,082

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #1,083

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Q1

Name (optional):

Bonnie MacRaith

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not remove protections for the Great Grizzly - an iconic and important keystone species in North American who has already lost so much of its habitat! Trophy hunting is no longer an excuse to kill our beautiful wildlife. Allowing this is Anti-Life and must not be allowed!

# #1,084

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**IP Address:** 209.182.120.123

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

the bears have a right to live too!

# #1,085

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Idaliz santos

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly have feelings and family

# #1,086

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Idaliz santos

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly have feelings and family

# #1,087

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Louise Rangel

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please keep the grizzly heritage alive and well. Do not allow the hunting of these magnificent animals.

## #1,088

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:08 **IP Address:** 72.168.144.237

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Q1

Name (optional):

eva mansell

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. We have lost so MUCH of the wild already, shouldn't we avoid exactly the kind of activity you are planning to allow? Please don't let this happen and risk the ultimate loss of yet another species.

# #1,089

## COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:52 **IP Address:** 172.10.133.126

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joy Hall

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These bears are a national treasure and should not be hunted.

# #1,090

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:53 **IP Address:** 73.5.172.128

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rachel Wolf

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is unsustainable and unnecessary. Please outlaw trophy hunting and protect our wilderness.

## #1,091

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Annemarie Meier

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is nothing else but the senseless killing of sentient animals, be it grizzlies or wolves or other animals, who all play an important role in the environment. It has no place in our modern world and should be banned everywhere for good!

## #1,092

#### COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #1,093

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Caryn Cowin

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I strongly oppose grizzly bear hunting. If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #1,094

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Brian

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please no grizzled bear hunting!!

## #1,095

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We are connected to the planet, if we take care of mother earth, she will take care of us. Protecting habitat and the animals within are crucial to keeping species alive and healthy ecosystems.

## #1,096

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Henry

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #1,097

## COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Alex Clarke

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears.

# #1,098

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please be smart. Leave the bears alone.

## #1,099

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:39:16 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:39:26 PM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #1,100

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These amazing animals are alive today, but someday they might not be - and then every child born will have no idea of what they were. They will simply never be seen again. They are amazing creatures, and every bit as deserving as any of us to be alive. The actions taken now cannot be seen in merely local terms. They affect the future, forever. Please do whatever you can to protect them.

# #1,101

## COMPLETE

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 99.157.110.175

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect Montana's grizzly Bears from being hunted.

## #1,102

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:40:29 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:42:13 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:43 **IP Address:** 68.98.1.127

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears. If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,103

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:34 **IP Address:** 173.20.199.74

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Q1

Name (optional):

Linda Gazzola

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE...NO GRIZZLY BEAR SLAUGHTER!!!!!

# #1,104

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:40:21 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:42:49 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Aaerh

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Give bears the chance to live long grizzly lives and stop the slaughter of these great giant mammals.

## #1,105

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jill Bohr Jacob

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #1,106

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Stuart Francis

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. This is why trophy hunting of grizzlies should NOT be allowed.

# #1,107

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 173.23.236.185

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Q1

Name (optional):

Brian Gorra

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop bear hunting.

# #1,108

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please save bears.

## #1,109

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dianne Douglas

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #1,110

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Laura Peterson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are part of the ecosystem and do not belong dead on or in the homes of people. Hunters should envision their own head or hides as trophies

## #1,111

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:51:45 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 4:54:27 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kevin Jensen

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Thank you for your consideration.

## #1,112

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rebecca Dick

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am completely opposed to all trophy hunting of grizzly bears. These are animals - not trophies. Please protect them. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #1,113

#### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michael Rosa

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears although an iconic American species akin to the bald eagle is on a far different course than its avian counterpart. Various estimates project fewer than 2000 bears living and taking up only a small fraction of their historic range. They continue to face immense obstacles to recover their historic numbers as they suffer from various encroachments. Please do not subject grizzlies to the whims of the trophy hunting industry whose motivation is their exploitation and ultimate demise all for plunder and profit.

# #1,114

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kim Bayer

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Nature over profit!

# #1,115

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:42 **IP Address:** 97.89.113.113

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting. All animals, including bears have a right to live and flourish. Animals don't belong to us.

### #1,116

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:06:52 **IP Address:** 72.208.195.98

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. The grizzly Bear still needs to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. We cannot allow them to be pushed back to the brink of extinction and they are protected under the Endangered Species Act (ESA).

Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

### #1,117

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**IP Address:** 162.205.216.138

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Q1

Name (optional):

Allyson Dallmann

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do Not allow murdering of OUR Grizzly Bears!!!!!!!

They belong here; they belong to ME and all the other people who love grizzlies! They are vital to a healthy ecosystem and THEY are a KEYSTONE species: necessary for the environment AND THIS IS PUBLIC LAND! Their numbers are still very low and you have a responsibility to PROTECT THEM!!! These lands belong to all of us and we have a right to know our Grizzly Bears are safe and thriving. Murdering a Grizzly is EVIL AND SHORTSIGHTED, NOT BRAVE. MURDERERS SHOULD BE PUNISHED NOT GIVEN A TROPHY; HOW WEAK ARE THOSE MURDER INNOCENT WILDLIFE WHO HAVE NO WEAPON. You have the ability to just say NO. Do the right thing for Grizzlies, the other species who depend on them and Montana.

# #1,118

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**IP Address:** 207.255.187.165

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joyce mckenzie

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop being savages. NO TROPHY HUNTING.

It's immoral, cruel and disgusting.

### #1,119

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lenore

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

On my many backpacks and hikes I have seen signs of grizzlies, yet only observed one once; it is a memory that will last forever, a feeling of pure joy, watching this magnificent animal as it foraged for ground squirrel and playfully loped downhill in the wind.

I consider myself blessed to not envision myself, or humans, as better than, or more intelligent than, other animals. We all share the earth, and everything on it is here for a reason, everything likes its life, enjoys life. We humans are the only being who imagine ourselves somehow capable of greater thought, and yet are the only creature who has nearly destroyed our planet and all its inhabitants.

The Grizzly deserves to live out its life free from death at the hands of small-minded people with big guns. Wherever the environment is considered expansive enough for grizzlies to roam, they need to be completely protected from killing and harm of any kind.

## #1,120

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cecile Lemay

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

In this century humans are supposed to more advanced, educated....than past centuries who believed nature was theirs for the taking! EXTINCTION OF ALL SPECIES INCLUDING GRIZZLIES ARE ON THE RISE, MANY SPECIES ALREADY EXTINCT! THEY GO EXTINCT HUMANS ARE NEXT=SCIENTIFICALLY PROVEN DECADES AGO! ALL NATURE, LIFE KEEPS IN BALANCE ALL LIFE!! STOP LIVING IN THE STONE-AGE & KILLING EVERY LIVING BEING JUST BECAUSE!!!

# #1,121

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Scott

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I have yet to find a grizzly bear that I hated so much that I thought that I had to shoot him. Provided that he or she has no interest in harming anyone I think that we should let them live their lives undisturbed!

# #1,122

### COMPLETE

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 71.191.224.91

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kate McAloon

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Only 1500 grizzlies in the lower 48 and you want to allow trophy hunting? Be a steward of wildlife, please.

## #1,123

#### COMPLETE

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**IP Address:** 107.185.197.158

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Q1

Name (optional):

richard woolsey

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I urge your support to protect and maintain our grizzly bear populations. I recognize GB's have been a challenge for some ranchers however there are means to mitigate this this without having to destroy them. I understand the pros and cons of controversy but removing their protection is not the solution. Our eco system is frail, don't feel that eradicating GB's is the solution. Think outside the box, find other ways to protect your livestock thereby protecting GB's. Let's call it "balance."

# #1,124

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:57 **IP Address:** 98.196.134.189

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Q1

Name (optional):

Elise Martin

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please put an end to Grizzly bear trophy hunting!

## #1,125

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I oppose the trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears in Montana. There number are already low and are decreasing. Trophy hunting would further threaten their survival. Grizzles need wilderness areas and healthy wilderness ecosystems need grizzles. I see no sound reasons for allowing trophy hunting of grizzles and urge you not to do so. Thank you.

# #1,126

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Paul Myer

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I've visited Montana several times and am always in awe of its natural beauty and wilderness. Please spare the grizzly since I think it contributes greatly to the Montana wilderness.

## #1,127

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Khurram Bashir

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I have enjoyed vacations in Montana with wildlife and the natural beauty being the real attration. If Montana decides to start killing Grizzlies then I and family will stop vacationing. Natural beauty without it's wild inhabitants would not have any attraction; it at best would a bunch of trees.

# #1,128

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Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Harte

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Given the dramatic declines in wildlife in general, we should be protecting what remains, not hunting it for sport!! I urge you not to allow trophy hunting for anything, let alone grizzly bears!!!

### #1,129

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit.

Especially abhorrent, would be allowing "trophy" hunters to kill these beautiful animals, just for the sake of killing. How pathetic. When will humans learn to stop messing with wildlife and the natural world they inhabit?! Killing grizzly bears, runs contrary to increasing their numbers and allowing them to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

Humans can never make up for the previous destruction we've inflicted on wildlife and their habitats, but it's time to be good role models for our children, by respecting and protecting wildlife, from now on.

# #1,130

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO bear killing please thank you!!

# #1,131

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There should be no trophy hunting of grizzly bears allowed in Montana. This iconic North American species only has a population of about 1,500 and is still under great threat due to loss of habitat, and loss of food from climate change.

# #1,132

### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Animals deserve to live out their lives free of harm in their natural habitats.

# #1,133

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Krongold

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No to hunting grizzly bears!

## #1,134

#### COMPLETE

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Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,135

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tanya Baccarat

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, please don't allow trophy hunting. Grizzlies are a vital part of our world, of our eco-system, and they are entitled to live on our planet every bit as much as we are.

# #1,136

#### COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Please protect them, they are an iconic American wild animal.

## #1,137

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:40:08 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:42:07 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:59

**IP Address:** 104.178.221.147

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hello,

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. As a family physician, I know the survival of our great animals and humans are closely linked. Many thanks.

# #1,138

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:41:05 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:43:57 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:52 **IP Address:** 67.128.206.161

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ron Hobart

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly Bears should be permanently protected wherever they are on this planet. Thank you for doing the right thing by protecting these magnificent animals forever!

# #1,139

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:42:51 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:44:14 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:22

**IP Address:** 206.126.222.209

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Leave these beautiful creatures alone! They are important to the ecosystems. If you want to control a population , why don't you worry about your own species

## #1,140

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:48:51 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:54:25 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:33 **IP Address:** 184.23.236.41

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Ahn

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Great Bear is a quintessential symbol of Wilderness and wildness, especially in parts of the western United States and Alaska where the great bear still roams.

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act (ESA). While some progress has been made over the past 40-plus years to recover grizzly bear populations, today there are still only an estimated 1,500 grizzlies in the contiguous 48 states and they are found within less than 2 percent of their historic range. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana.

If trophy hunting is allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,141

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:11

**IP Address:** 184.101.147.142

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gina

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,142

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:47

**IP Address:** 162.205.216.138

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jim Mang

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not kill the bears

# #1,143

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:56:44 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:57:55 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:10 **IP Address:** 67.83.208.63

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hunt the boob not the bear

## #1,144

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:46:43 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:58:15 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:11:31 **IP Address:** 50.45.146.0

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I urge you to reject the foolish idea of of allowing grizzly bear hunting anywhere in Montana. If you end up allowing it, I will surely contribute some money to organizations that will fight it in court and cancel our plans to visit your state this summer to run a couple of backcountry rivers.

Thanks for considering my comments.

## #1,145

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:56:24 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:58:58 PM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am completely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

More tourists come for the chance to see a live grizzly bear than for a chance to shoot one.

# #1,146

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:58:39 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:00:46 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:07 **IP Address:** 50.45.215.185

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Gustafson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It is our duty as the most powerful species on this planet to protect all species- which we didn't create, by the way.

# #1,147

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:02:06 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:03:17 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:10 **IP Address:** 189.176.45.254

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

These are beautiful, iconic American animals that represent the American spirit. they should have the fullest protection avaialable.

## #1,148

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 5:45:15 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:03:44 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:18:29 **IP Address:** 99.164.4.203

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Wilson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I really find it disturbing that Montana Fish and Wildlife would consider trophy hunting of grizzly bears in the wilderness. This species is just starting to make a comeback in numbers in territories that can sustain them, by which I mean having available food, enough space for each pack family, safety for the cubs, etc. I often say to people that we need to be the stewards of the land and the animals that reside there. We are nothing without the ecosystem, a BALANCED ecosystem and grizzly bears are a unique, threatened part of that ecosystem. This lockdown due to corona virus disease has shown us as a society how quickly nature moves to take back the areas that humans have greedily taken and from animals and exploited. How much more evidence do you need to see that animals want and need their own habitat back? And you know, it is stupidity to kill off animals like the grizzly bears, whose population has teetered on the brink for decades, for trophies? We have moved beyond the romantic Hemingway novels, folks! We do not need drunken, rich Papa Hemingway wanna-bees traipsing through the Montana wilderness! The animals that hunters would be after would be the largest, most Darwinianly fit creatures, which are precisely the ones that need to continue their gene pool! I am massively against this proposal and I want you to know I have spent much time in Montana, rockhounding and hiking and enjoying the beauty of the state which includes the animals. And I may not want to run into a grizzly bear, nor see one but I greatly respect their territory and their right to exist and be allowed to live a full, natural life protected from trophy hunting! Please listen to my common sense and do not allow this. Thank you.

## #1,149

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:53 **IP Address:** 73.227.147.73

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Q1

Name (optional):

Kara Rea

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow grizzly bear hunting. Trophy hunting is barbaric and unnecessary.

# #1,150

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Fighting for the right for grizzlies to live!

## #1,151

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:15:47 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:16:29 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:41 **IP Address:** 45.18.142.216

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are important for maintaining ecosystem function. No one needs to kill a bear. It's senseless and immoral.

# #1,152

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:16:15 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:16:57 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:42 **IP Address:** 67.245.69.155

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Q1

Name (optional):

alice jena

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the Hunting of Grizzly Bears for trophy hunting

## #1,153

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:00:38 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:17:52 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:17:13 **IP Address:** 97.118.115.30

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sheryl Schmatjen

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are an important member of a healthy ecosystem. ALL animals have a right to continue to live in their environment. Humans have no right to eliminate a species, regardless of the reasons. They will pay the price for assuming that right at some point. Unfortunately, the specie(s) are gone by then, the damage is done. Do not let this happen to the grizzly population of Montana!

# #1,154

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

mj najimi

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect grizzly bears.

Thank you

# #1,155

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:18:00 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:18:42 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marc Severson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to be stewards of the earth.

# #1,156

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marilyn Mazur

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It is cruel and unnecessary. Please do not do this.

## #1,157

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:15:30 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:22:25 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:55 **IP Address:** 216.115.238.77

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Q1

Name (optional):

Laura Cohen

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow hunting of the grizzly bear. It's important to have a diversity of species to keep natural areas beautiful and viable. I loved visiting Montana for that reason! Please don't degrade your beautiful wilderness. Keep it intact for those of us who need to escape to it - and for the children who have yet to visit it!

Thank you,

Laura

## #1,158

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:07 **IP Address:** 47.18.250.103

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Q1

Name (optional):

Janice Price

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears. They deserve to have a safe haven to live and raise their young. They are a important part of the eco-system.

# #1,159

### COMPLETE

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Q1

Name (optional):

Donna Turner

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

It is not like we have an over population of these beautiful animals.

# #1,160

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:24:46 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:25:29 PM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please preserve, not hunt, these iconic animals.

## #1,161

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:01 **IP Address:** 76.127.233.231

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Q1

Name (optional):

Caroline Kipling

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

DO NOT HUNT GRIZZLIES. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

## #1,162

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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### Q1

Name (optional):

Gerritt and Elizabeth Baker-Smith

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We are writing to say we are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,163

### COMPLETE

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 50.108.83.86

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Q1

Name (optional):

Janet Wulf-Marvin

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to discourage killing just for killing!

# #1,164

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are iconic-please stop the slaughter.

# #1,165

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lin Westler

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to allowing the hunting of grizzly bears

# #1,166

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Royanne

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

THE WORLD IS WATCHING.

WE ARE SPREAD THIS STORY AROUND THE WORLD.

YOU ARE A DISGRACE TO THE HUMAN RACE.

SHAME ON YOU

# #1,167

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:30:14 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:35:42 PM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Needless, cruel killing of ALL wildlife must be stopped. There is no excuse for killing all the grizzly bears-their numbers are dwindling, we must keep them alive.

# #1,168

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:50 **IP Address:** 50.89.173.168

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Q1

Name (optional):

Roselina Guerra

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the trophy hunting of grizzly bears, an atrocity.

# #1,169

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:30:13 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:36:34 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:20 **IP Address:** 208.104.51.117

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No excuse for the continued killing of grizzly bears. They should be protected not slaughtered!

## #1,170

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:38:05 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:39:49 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:43 **IP Address:** 135.180.46.138

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Q1

Name (optional):

Caryn Graves

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #1,171

#### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:15 **IP Address:** 172.4.58.180

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Q1

Name (optional):

Geoffrey Frank

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears were once pushed to the brink of extinction in the lower 48 states, so in 1975 they were listed for protection under the Endangered Species Act.. Grizzly bears have very low reproductive rates and continue to face excessive death rates caused by cars, trains, hunters claiming self-defense, poaching, livestock-related "control" actions, and other heavy-handed management. In fact, the last two years have seen record-breaking grizzly deaths in Montana. Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

## #1,172

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:14:46 **IP Address:** 208.104.51.117

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Q1

Name (optional):

David

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy Hunting is inhumane and must not be allowed to endanger the iconic grizzly bear. There are too many stupid Americans that will take advantage or break laws to get a grizzly-ridiculous and dangerous, It will lead to extinction and shake the whole ecological/environmental state of not only Montana but the whole country.

# #1,173

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 73.218.157.119

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Q1

Name (optional):

H.L. Chris Chrissos

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Blood "sports" are inhumane and only show how barbaric and how in need of ego-boosting these "humans" are

# #1,174

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:15:37 **IP Address:** 208.104.51.117

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ben Hatch

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

BAN TROPHY HUNTING OF ANY WILD ANIMAL!

## #1,175

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:30:18 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:47:01 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:16:42 **IP Address:** 208.104.51.117

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop the ignorant from killing all wildlife & ruining our lands. Save the grizzly bear-BAN TROPHY HUNTING!

# #1,176

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:30:20 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:47:48 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:17:28 **IP Address:** 208.104.51.117

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I THOUGHT MONTANA WAS SMARTER & COOLER THAN TO ALLOW TROPHY HUNTING OF GRIZZLY BEARS.

# #1,177

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:46:46 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:48:45 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:58 **IP Address:** 69.92.173.204

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Q1

Name (optional):

Craig Gentry

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

The Grizzly Bears needs to be protected.

# #1,178

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:03 **IP Address:** 100.0.185.121

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Q1

Name (optional):

Alfred Mancini

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This is a completely unnecessary and barbaric event. Please consider ending it.

# #1,179

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:50:13 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:51:05 PM

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Q1

Name (optional):

Mary Ann M.

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Don't hurt grizzlies!

Thank you.

# #1,180

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Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tiffanny Cato

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bears need to flourish for eco-syste9

## #1,181

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Catherine Lau

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. There is no reason to take an innocent animal's life for sports. Hunting is uncivilized and cruel. It is senseless. Once depleted, the grizzly bear population may take decades to come back, if ever.

## #1,182

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:09:23 **IP Address:** 73.249.165.208

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

To all involved, please DO NOT hunt these beautiful creatures. I fail to see where killing is any kind of answer.

Please consider all humane options including working with various charity groups to protect Grizzlys as well as humans. We all need to live here in peace.

## #1,183

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:46 **IP Address:** 75.50.123.98

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Q1

Name (optional):

lee margot

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please DO NOT allow the hunting of Grizzly bears in Montana. They are an integral part of the ecosystem and should be protected. Thank you!

## #1,184

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 6:57:45 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:05:16 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:07:30 **IP Address:** 96.232.138.238

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to continue to protect this species of bear. It is a shame to hunt these beautiful animals just to satisfy someone's hunting prowess. It's sad enough that their environment has been destroyed by man's logging ,building and polluting.

# #1,185

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:12:53 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:13:41 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:48 **IP Address:** 74.66.211.208

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marley

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please help these innocent animals

## #1,186

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:11:22 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:14:14 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:51 **IP Address:** 73.22.23.192

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Q1

Name (optional):

connie

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No to Grizzly bear hunting these bears are in such low number anyone you take out of the wilderness will be devastating on the population and these bears are nowhere near fully recovered

# #1,187

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:56 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:22:14 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:18 **IP Address:** 76.244.33.149

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NO TROPHY HUNTING OF GRIZZLY BEARS!!

## #1,188

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:21:48 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:24:08 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:20 **IP Address:** 74.76.153.55

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #1,189

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:26:15 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:26:54 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:39 **IP Address:** 71.88.2.241

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the Grizzlys

# #1,190

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:32:23 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:33:11 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:47 **IP Address:** 98.110.113.3

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Q1

Name (optional):

Nancy

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop humans from devastating everything they come in contact with.

## #1,191

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:30:44 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:33:23 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:38 **IP Address:** 24.4.139.127

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michael Grubb

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As a frequent visitor to your beautiful state, I ask you to protect all her natural resources, including the magnificent grizzly bear. There is no reason to open a hunting season; they are worth more to the state and many more people will enjoy a live grizzly than a dead one. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Michael Grubb

## #1,192

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:35:15 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:26 **IP Address:** 68.108.16.148

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Q1

Name (optional):

Catherine Ayoub

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. I am totally opposed to trophy hunting.

# #1,193

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:31 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:46 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:15 **IP Address:** 99.182.201.96

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rachael Alvarez Jett

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting!

# #1,194

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:10 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:36:59 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:48 **IP Address:** 71.208.99.209

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Q1

Name (optional):

judy

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow these hunts.

# #1,195

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:37:03 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:39:28 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:24 **IP Address:** 67.170.30.220

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Helen Curtis

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are living beings, not trophies. Let them live!!

# #1,196

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:38:37 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:40:02 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:24 **IP Address:** 96.35.49.56

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Q1

Name (optional):

Terry Mueller

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Seriously, Grizzlies aren't out of the woods but you think it is ok for trophy hunters to buy their way in. Sickening, just because someone has a lot of money your welling to bend over your desk for them.

# #1,197

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 3:53:53 AM
Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:40:21 PM

**Time Spent:** 15:46:27 **IP Address:** 75.130.107.86

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting.

## #1,198

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:39:25 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:44:50 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:24 **IP Address:** 50.206.114.55

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Q1

Name (optional):

Paul Howard

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I would like to see continued protection for grizzly bears in Montana. I used to live in Anaconda and Missoula prior that. My Wife and I greatly enjoy backpacking and bowhunting. I participated in pushing for grizzly protection and was glad to see it happen. Even though I know "just" how big and dangerous they can be to me personally while out bowhunting and backpacking, I would still rather know that they are still alive and well. Same goes for wolves and cougars. On that note, ecosystems in general need protection, and part of that protection is having all the species there that historically have been there since the whole system is even more connected than we know, and by now, we know a lot more. So, please keep all the wildlife numbers on the upside. Thanks - Paul Howard (and Stacy Drake), Corvallis, Oregon.

# #1,199

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 23.236.241.155

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No grizzly bear trophy hunting

# #1,200

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:45:07 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:46:05 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:58 **IP Address:** 47.60.42.254

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, NO to hunting bears. Leave animals alone.

# #1,201

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:48:21 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:51:07 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:46 **IP Address:** 71.238.70.9

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Q1

Name (optional):

Angela Fazzari

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears. They are an important species and a key part of the ecosystem in which them inhabit.

# #1,202

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:51:06 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:52:24 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:17 **IP Address:** 50.88.133.105

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Jennings

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop the trophy hunt of grizzlies. This is a travesty against our wildlife, as is any trophy hunt!!

# #1,203

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:54:04 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:54:42 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:38 **IP Address:** 68.193.216.144

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I completely oppose trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears!!!

## #1,204

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:54:13 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:54:57 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:43 **IP Address:** 67.85.98.84

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #1,205

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:39 **IP Address:** 50.113.74.229

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Q1

Name (optional):

Richie Masino

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Protect Forever!!

# #1,206

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 7:58:22 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:03:53 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:05:31 **IP Address:** 99.71.152.150

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Q1

Name (optional):

NANCY Rosenberg

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not allow trophy hunting of grizzly bears

# #1,207

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:05:03 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:08:29 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:26 **IP Address:** 73.195.108.57

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is no valid reason to shoot grizzly bears unless perhaps a person is threatened. If an individual wants/needs a trophy let that person elwin a soccer tournament.

# #1,208

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:11:40 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:13:21 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:41 **IP Address:** 67.248.72.221

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Q1

Name (optional):

Deborah Boomhower

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We need to protect the grizzly bears or there will not be any left.

## #1,209

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:10:02 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:16:02 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:00 **IP Address:** 47.134.194.231

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Q1

Name (optional):

**Bob Cherry** 

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are finally getting to the point where their numbers might be secure. Now is not the time to allow trophy hunting. They are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. In order to protect the ecosystems in which they live grizzlies must be allowed to stay in these systems. Please do not allow hunting for bears at this time.

## #1,210

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:15:29 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:17:50 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:21 **IP Address:** 73.60.156.158

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Q1

Name (optional):

sandra silvestri

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

STOP KILLING OUR WILDLIFE.. THEY DO NOT BELONG TO YOU. THEY ARE LIVING, BREATHING CREATURES PERSONALITY, MIND AND EMOTIONS. THEY FEEL PAIN TOO. PLEASE SPARE THEIR LIVES...

# #1,211

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Who are the REAL animals here?

## #1,212

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:16:04 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:18:28 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:23 **IP Address:** 68.105.53.6

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Q1

Name (optional):

Michael Vickers

## Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This is a situation that has to be stopped now not later, these beautiful animals are going to become extinct if the federal government does not step up and put a stop to killing any of these grizzly bears.

## #1,213

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If trophy hunting is allowed by the State of Montana, important areas like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for these bears.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

Please do not be short-sighted enough to allow this.

Thank you.

# #1,214

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:02:52 **IP Address:** 50.39.226.249

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sally Cadonau

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect these beautiful, living beings. They so deserve to live free. Thank you

# #1,215

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:00:37 **IP Address:** 173.79.72.35

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Q1

Name (optional):

Sarah Epstein

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop hunting grizzly bears.

# #1,216

## COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:24:47 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:26:42 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:54 **IP Address:** 174.49.106.90

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Q1

Name (optional):

Clave Wilson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please reconsider the murderous event of trophy hunting. Humanity is currently suffering for its deeds.

## #1,217

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:21:42 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:30:08 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:08:25 **IP Address:** 98.156.81.214

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

People who kill for trophies should be hunted themselves to see what it is like. The U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service listed four distinct populations of grizzly bear as "threatened," in part, because the species was reduced to only about 2% of its former range south of Canada and grizzlies also provides shelter for many other species of wildlife that share the bears' home range.

## #1,218

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:04:00 **IP Address:** 24.18.60.249

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Q1

Name (optional):

Victoria

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears should be allowed to live in peace and harmony with their environment. Their habitat protected and they should not live in fear of trophy hunting practices which is cruel. Human beings can find other ways to entertain themselves without hurting god given creatures that make our environment beautiful and majestic. Human beings destroy so much in this world that we have little care or empathy for taking care of what is left. I truly believe mankind is on a spiral of destruction and this is one example of negative decision making if you allow it to happen.

# #1,219

## COMPLETE

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect these magnificent creatures from slaughter.

# #1,220

### COMPLETE

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 72.193.188.246

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Fight them with your hands like, a real man.

# #1,221

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:33:56 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:35:02 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:05 **IP Address:** 24.74.28.5

Page 1

Q1

Name (optional):

Donna Oliver

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

You should not be killinf the grizzlies!

### #1,222

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:30:59 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:35:04 PM

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

This is some kind of sick joke right? The godamm world is ending and you want to kill bears for trophies! You are really sick cruel people. And do not think that anyonw will fall for sustenance. It's RICH WHITE MEN KILLING ANYTHING THEY WANT TO Get over yourselves. Here's the nice way of asking you to stop being horrible:

Trophy hunting of grizzly bears would be allowed on public lands, including wild lands within America's National Wilderness Preservation System and wild public lands immediately adjacent to Yellowstone and Glacier National Parks.

If trophy hunting was allowed by the state of Montana, iconic Wilderness areas in Montana like the Bob Marshall, Great Bear, Scapegoat, Lee Metcalf, Absaroka-Beartooth, and Cabinet Mountains Wilderness would no longer be safe havens for the Great Bear.

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

# #1,223

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:18 **IP Address:** 73.118.51.227

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Chaney

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No trophy hunting!

# #1,224

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:15 **IP Address:** 162.204.188.19

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Let the grizzly bears live in peace. No hunting or killing them.

# #1,225

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:08 **IP Address:** 72.74.200.140

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Q1

Name (optional):

Tara De Veau

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Bear hunting is ugly and inhumane

## #1,226

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1

Name (optional):

Cynthia McWilliams

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I hope that you will protect grizzly bears from trophy hunters. The bears and the wilderness should be left alone, free from trophy hunters, hunters, developers, and sports vehicles. We need to protect the remaining wildlife, and one of the easiest ways to protect the bears and the wilderness is to stop people who want to hunt in order to have bragging rights.

# #1,227

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:43:29 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:44:15 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:46 **IP Address:** 24.8.5.17

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Q1

Name (optional):

Derek

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly hunting is not necessary. Humanity needs to let other species exist on this planet for our own survival.

# #1,228

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:42:26 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:45:00 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:33 **IP Address:** 45.53.204.2

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Q1

Name (optional):

B. ROSE

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please, no trophy hunting of grizzlies.

# #1,229

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:45:07 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:46:49 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:42 **IP Address:** 75.1.196.232

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Q1

Name (optional):

Victoria Mathew

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is no good reason to allow these bears to killed! Protect our wildlife not destroy it!!

# #1,230

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

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# #1,231

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:35 **IP Address:** 98.30.106.97

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Q1

Name (optional):

sue roberts

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please protect these beautiful bears.Let them roam free in nature.

## #1,232

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:53:46 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:54:18 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:31 **IP Address:** 73.52.117.174

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Q1

Name (optional):

Jan Hughes

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We all will die if animals die since we live with and off animals to survive animals have every right to live safe and sound just like us and how God wanted and willed them to without human unneeded horribly, inhumanely, and terribly killing, destroying, and murdering them all for the sake of greed of men who have no right doing this to innocent animals!

## #1,233

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:49:01 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 8:56:15 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:07:13 **IP Address:** 75.80.38.215

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Q1

Name (optional):

Paul J Malchiodi

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do not hunt the Grizzly bears. They were once almost hunted to extinction. They no longer roam the state of Ca. because of man's want to kill them. We are supposed to be stewards of this planet and human behavior regularly contradicts this behavior. Let wildlife also enjoy this planet.

# #1,234

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:05:17 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:07:03 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:45 **IP Address:** 68.0.184.175

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Do not kill the Grizzly Bears.

## #1,235

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:06:04 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:07:52 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:48 **IP Address:** 96.247.151.231

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Rather than killing grizzly bears, you should spend some time figuring how to connect suitable grizzly habitat for the benefit of the species.

# #1,236

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:08:03 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:09:35 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:31 **IP Address:** 70.171.131.18

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Q1

Name (optional):

Ann Fuller

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There should absolutely be NO hunting of grizzly bears. There simply are not enough!

# #1,237

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:08:02 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:10:08 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:05 **IP Address:** 71.36.123.92

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why would you kill Grizzly Bears for sport? It doesn't make sense. Allow recovery of the bears.

## #1,238

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:12:14 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:12:23 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:08 **IP Address:** 64.121.197.18

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,239

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:13:03 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:17:26 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:22 **IP Address:** 73.71.19.228

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gregory Hildebrand

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

As habitat for wildlife is reduced, the wildlife will be under increasing pressure to survive. Please help keep our wildlands wild and protect the wildlife in their natural environment. Please do not approve trophy hunting of Grizzly Bears.

## #1,240

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:16:52 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:19:01 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:08 **IP Address:** 172.58.35.91

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Every animal has a right to live especially in its own area. Your wanting more money from the licenses you sell shoould not be put on the bears back. Too many people are doing it for the "fun" of killing. Not the necessity of meat.

# #1,241

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:21:26 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:22:48 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:21 **IP Address:** 67.214.30.16

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Q1

Name (optional):

Anne Jackson

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

NEVER EVER NEVER EVEN THINK OF KILLING A GRIZZLY BEAR FOR ANY REASON ON THIS EARTH !!!!

## #1,242

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:22:07 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:24:05 PM

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 00:01:57

 IP Address:
 72.205.106.189

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Q1

Name (optional):

Laura Manning

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting of threatened and endangered apex predators is obscene and there is no place for it in our world. Do NOT allow this to happen.

## #1,243

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:24:28 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:26:10 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:41 **IP Address:** 73.70.197.13

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Q1

Name (optional):

Taochiung Chi

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

No Grizzly Bear trophy hunting! Killing for pleasure is cruel and not a sport!

Grizzly bears are part of our ecosystem. Leave them alone. Thank you.

## #1,244

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:24:33 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:26:53 PM

 Time Spent:
 00:02:19

 IP Address:
 73.103.124.147

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Q1

Name (optional):

Merrie Thornburg

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There is no earthly reason why Grizzly Bears need to be hunted. They are not food. This is not sport, it is murder

# #1,245

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:32:29 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:33:01 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:00:32 **IP Address:** 47.144.8.52

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Q1

Name (optional):

Julie White

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop hunting grizzly bears.

# #1,246

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:34:48 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:35:59 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:10 **IP Address:** 136.53.49.40

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Q1

Name (optional):

Gloria Cash-Procell

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing God's creatures. Haven't we seen enough death lately?

# #1,247

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:39:32 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:41:52 PM

 Time Spent:
 00:02:19

 IP Address:
 172.92.237.105

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Q1

Name (optional):

Peggy

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why do you want to destroy those magnificent animals. They are part of our ecosystem just as every other anime, bird, or even human. There is room for all of us.

# #1,248

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:35:26 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:42:20 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:06:53 **IP Address:** 47.216.209.247

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Q1

Name (optional):

Roxann Carmean Floyd

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Why? Killing for the sake of killing is a barbaric activity.

## #1,249

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:58:21 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 9:59:56 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:35 **IP Address:** 73.170.101.172

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Q1

Name (optional):

Barbara Greenwood

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are keystone species that help shape the ecosystems in which they live. Their numbers should be allowed to fluctuate according to habitat conditions, not some human-conceived population limit. Where grizzlies thrive, so will the wild places in which they live.

I strongly urge that the State of Montana's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council oppose the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,250

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:02:00 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:04:08 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:08 **IP Address:** 174.192.132.96

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Q1

Name (optional):

Joseph Homstad

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting shouldn't be allowed anywhere. It serves no purpose other than endangerment of species.

## #1,251

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:04:46 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:06:06 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:19 **IP Address:** 47.215.232.212

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Dear ladies and gentlemen, my family and I are entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival.

# #1,252

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:03:26 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:08:24 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:58

**IP Address:** 107.132.140.183

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Q1

Name (optional):

Steven Thaw

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Hunting Grizzly Bears is Anti American! They are part of our National heritage! Total Protection should Law! Long Prison terms for those who molest America's Grizzly Bears!

# #1,253

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:09:08 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:12:51 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:43 **IP Address:** 96.59.148.251

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Q1

Name (optional):

Robert Scott

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

PLEASE do NOT allow Grizzly Bear KILLING in the State of Montana! Grizzlies are SPECTACULAR, & SO IMPORTANT to our ecosystems! Most Americans LOVE Grizzlies!

## #1,254

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 00:15:56

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 73.122.246.247

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Q1

Name (optional):

Lisa Klein

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am VEHEMENTLY opposed to the idea of allowing the cruel, greedy, calloused trophy hunting of grizzly bears — or any OTHER animals! And, allowing trophy-hunters to shoot GRZZLY BEARS, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs COMPLETELY CONTRARY to INCREASING grizzly bear numbers, and allowing the Great Bear to RECOVER AND OCCUPY HABITAT ESSENTIAL TO THEIR SURVIVAL!!

# #1,255

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

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 Time Spent:
 00:02:13

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 47.157.128.206

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Q1

Name (optional):

Blanca R Coleman

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please stop hunting Grizzly Bears

# #1,256

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:25:14 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:28:21 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:06 **IP Address:** 67.185.32.249

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marguerite Winkel

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are an important part of their habitat health and deserve to live their lives unexploited by trophy hunters' strange obsession to possess the bodies of dead animals to bolster their egos.

# #1,257

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:27:14 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:28:55 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:41 **IP Address:** 174.194.200.42

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Q1

Name (optional):

Hilary Clark

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are an important part of the ecosystem and a magnificent animal. Please be humane and help protect them.

## #1,258

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Wednesday, April 22, 2020 12:50:46 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:32:36 PM

Time Spent: Over a day IP Address: 73.231.79.205

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Q1

Name (optional):

Susan Harman

### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Who gave you the right to decide whether bears live or die? For shame! Needless to say, we should leave them be, and the would-be hunters should get some viagra instead.

## #1,259

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:35:11 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:39:29 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:18 **IP Address:** 108.28.194.138

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Q1

Name (optional):

Christine Parus

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzly bears are not on this earth to be murdered then stuffed, or made into a rug or head hung on wall. They are majestic beautiful wonders of nature. They feel pain and fear. They are living breathing creatures that deserve to be left to live their lives as nature intended.

# #1,260

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:46:40 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:51:25 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:45 **IP Address:** 24.130.240.66

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Grizzlies are an iconic species, too important to be used as a release for trophy hunters to decorate their walls with. Please protect them.

# #1,261

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:51:27 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:51:56 PM

 Time Spent:
 00:00:29

 IP Address:
 71.232.153.181

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Q1

Name (optional):

Marilyn

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Stop killing bears!

# #1,262

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:51:57 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:53:13 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:01:16 **IP Address:** 173.22.30.143

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Q1

Name (optional):

Karen Wingo

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Save the Grizzly Bears from extinction NOW!

# #1,263

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:50:22 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 10:53:48 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:25 **IP Address:** 108.70.45.226

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Q1

Name (optional):

Rita Warner

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

We cannot allow these magnificent animals to become extinct just because evil people want to feel powerful by murdering them with a high powered gun. Please act now to protect these important links in the natural chain before it's too late.

# #1,264

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:04:34 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:06:47 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:12

**IP Address:** 172.118.178.161

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Q1

Name (optional):

Al Kisner

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There should be NO hunting (trophy, sport or otherwise) of grizzly bears in Montana.

# #1,265

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:11:54 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:13:57 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:02 **IP Address:** 99.72.193.1

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Q1

Name (optional):

Paula Bandt

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please do NOT begin hunting grizzly bears in Montana again!

## #1,266

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:08:28 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:20:28 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:12:00 **IP Address:** 72.70.181.12

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

There are too few grizzly bears in the wild to be hunted. They still have not recovered enough from when they were listed on the Endangered Species List. They are killed by so many different things such as cars, trains and control actions by those who have livestock. For the last one there must be a better non lethal way to keep them from livestock. Please do not allow hunting of this iconic species.

# #1,267

### COMPLETE

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**Time Spent:** 00:01:55 **IP Address:** 47.205.68.180

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Q1

Name (optional):

Maryann

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

If you do not want someone to shoot you and use you as a trophy well neither do the bears.

## #1,268

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:42:42 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:45:47 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:03:04 **IP Address:** 64.53.155.121

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Q1

Name (optional):

Dan & Judy Dickinson

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Trophy hunting is old fashioned, out dated and just about any other negative comments you can think of. There is no room in today's world for this relic of the past. Let's do away with it once and for all.

## #1,269

#### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:53:12 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:56:07 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:02:54 **IP Address:** 104.177.111.91

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Q1 Respondent skipped this question

Name (optional):

Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

I am entirely opposed to the idea of allowing trophy hunting of grizzly bears. Allowing trophy hunters to shoot grizzly bears, including deep within Wilderness areas, runs contrary to increasing grizzly bear numbers and allowing the Great Bear to recover and reoccupy critical habitat essential for their survival. Please do not allow trophy hunting!

## #1,270

### COMPLETE

Collector: Web Link 1 (Web Link)

Started: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:52:12 PM Last Modified: Thursday, April 23, 2020 11:56:32 PM

**Time Spent:** 00:04:19 **IP Address:** 73.95.72.249

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Q1

Name (optional):

Beth Cole

#### Q3

Please enter your comments for the Governor's Grizzly Bear Advisory Council:

Please don't let the Grizzly Bear be killed in the name of trophy hunting!! What a selfish sport! And all for what? Nothing!! Grizzlies have just as much right to live out there life as man does. Probably even more so! They were here before us! We have no right to kill them just to put them on the wall!