



## ODFW LIVESTOCK DEPREDACTION INVESTIGATION REPORT

**Investigation ID:** 150929 Union

**Date Investigated:** 9/29/2015

**General Area:** Imbler area – Private Land

**General situation and animal information:** ODFW was notified of a possible wolf depredation by the Union County Dispatch at 9pm on 9/29/2015. An adult sheep had been attacked and was euthanized by the owner. The ewe's owner saw 2 canines and thought they were wolves. ODFW responded to the scene and was able to identify that the canine still present was a domestic dog.

**Physical evidence of attack by a predator:** The sheep had wounds on the head, throat and rear. One ear was chewed off. The domestic dog had blood on its chest, legs and face. No injuries were seen on the dog.

**Evidence that the predator was a wolf:** None

**Evidence of wolf presence near the time of the animal(s) death/injury:** None

**Recent wolf depredation in the same or nearby area:** None

**Cause of death/injury:**

Confirmed Wolf

Probable Wolf

Possible/Unknown

Other

**Summary:** Two domestic dogs attacked a sheep in a corral, were hazed away and returned. The owners of the dogs were located the following morning. Wolves had nothing to do with this incident.