



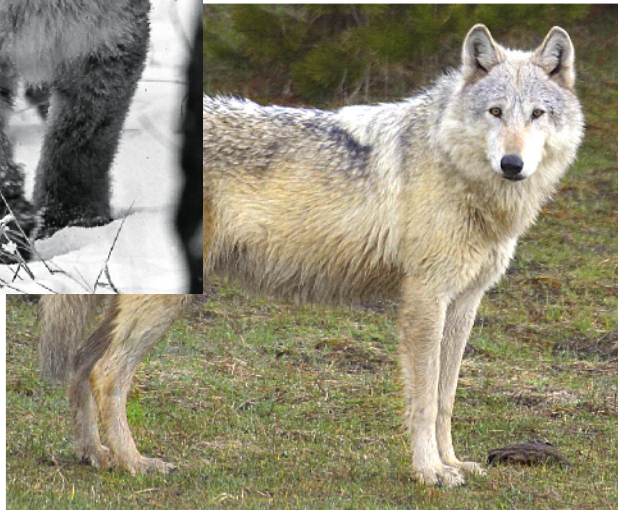
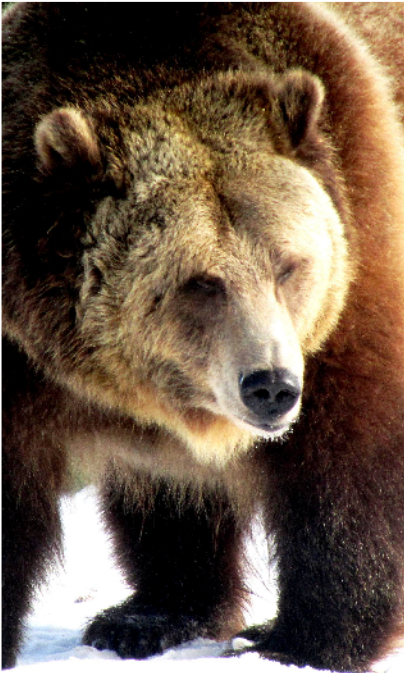
Keystone Conservation

A wide-angle photograph of a mountain range under a cloudy sky. The foreground shows a field of yellow wildflowers, and the middle ground is dominated by dark, forested mountains. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds, suggesting a late afternoon or early morning setting.

2014 ANNUAL REPORT

For Thriving Social and Natural
Systems in the Northern Rockies

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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS



Matt Barnes herding cattle



Fladry fencing as a wolf deterrent



One of our ranching partners preparing fladry

Our Work:

Keystone's mission is to develop and apply solutions for holistic stewardship on working landscapes and coexistence with large carnivores. We provide people with resources and knowledge to help them live and work in partnership with land and wildlife. Our work is focused primarily in the Northern Rockies. As one of the fastest growing areas in the US, increased human presence in the backcountry and rural communities can unfortunately lead to conflicts with carnivores. We work with individuals, ranchers, land managers, communities and other conservation practitioners for the health of rangelands, carnivores, and people.

We envision an American West with healthy land, abundant wildlife including carnivores, productive agriculture, and vibrant rural communities.

2014 Highlights:

- We expanded the reach of our Range Rider program and now offer assistance to several ranches or ranching communities to prevent livestock-carnivore conflicts.
- We offered and participated in workshops teaching Low Stress Livestock Handling to ranchers and riders.
- We created and are building the Northern Range Network, a network of conservation practitioners and ranchers working for the health of land, water, people, and wildlife.
- We gave numerous talks to nation-wide university and science association groups about wildlife conflict prevention and the effective use of Range Riders.
- We were featured in several publications for our innovative work addressing both wildlife conflicts and rangeland health.
- We continued our bear safety and bear spray program, providing talks to communities and businesses on bear safety.
- We published a science paper about our work, synthesizing benefits from the rangeland and wildlife conservation fields for coexistence with large carnivores.

WHO WE ARE

STAFF & CONTRACTORS

Lisa Upson - Executive Director

Matt Barnes - Field Director, Rangeland Stewardship

Hannah Rasker - Development and Marketing Coordinator

Tim Bennett - Program Director, Bear Coexistence

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Matt Barnes taking notes in the field

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014

INCOME	\$	
Individual Contributions	88,186	47%
Grants and Foundations	97,897	52%
Other	1,987	1%
Total Income	188,070	
EXPENSES		
Programs	158,772	82%
Administration	19,661	10%
Development	14,446	8%
Total Expenses	192,879	

We started this year with a healthy surplus, allowing us to conclude the 2014 fiscal year with a slight deficit of roughly \$6,000, which we have already made up for in our 2015 fiscal year.



Community involvement and communication is key to our work

GIVING THANKS

October 1, 2013 - September 30, 2014

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Thank you to all of the individuals, businesses, organizations and foundations that make our work possible! Your contributions are essential to implementing solutions for wildlife conservation. We greatly appreciate your generosity and are looking forward to an exciting year to come.

If we forgot to mention you and/or your gift please notify us.





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