

Title of Project: Peace Region Wildlife – Agriculture Symposium 2001
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Objectives:

- To bring a number of sector groups together to attempt to reach solutions on a number of wildlife/agriculture issues.
- To have special guest speakers from Canada and the USA present papers on wildlife/agriculture issues
- To produce a number of solutions for producers, government, and other sectors such as the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation, BC Wildlife Federation and BC Naturalists to deal with this issue in the future.
- To involve a larger group of people to work with the Peace Regional District Wildlife Committee in developing solutions to the wildlife – agriculture issues in the Peace.
- To provide an interactive format for communication among agricultural producers, researchers, wildlife biologists, responsible government agencies, and other stakeholders.
- To produce a proceedings for distribution and for future reference.

Accomplishments:

- A successful symposium was held on Jan 26 and 27, 2001 at Charlie Lake Hall.
- Attended by approx. 80 people, wide cross section of stakeholders participated.
- Highly informative panel discussions provided opportunities for all producers and all stakeholders to exchange ideas and identify possible solutions.

Tasks in progress:

- Wildlife committee and Regional District still meeting to implement and update "tool chest" ideas and integrate ideas generated during symposium.

Extension and demonstration:

- Symposium was covered by Peace Prospects in the Northern Horizon, Peace River Block News & Alaska Highway News – all interviewed speakers and producers and submitted write-ups in their papers.
- Mailed out proceeding to all participants as well as by request ongoing.

Finances:

Total Budget Revenue	\$12,100.00
Total Budget Expenses	\$17,100.00
Total Actual Revenue	\$14,295.00
Total Actual Expenses	\$15,465.37
Total holdback request from PRAD	\$ 1,170.37

Variances from original work plan, schedule or budget: none

Summary comments, conclusions: none

Attachments: Detailed Financial Summary
Copy of Proceedings