

# 2017 Annual Report Oregon Wolf Conservation and Management



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# Overview

- Legal Status
- Wolf Numbers
- Distribution
- Monitoring
- Livestock Depredation

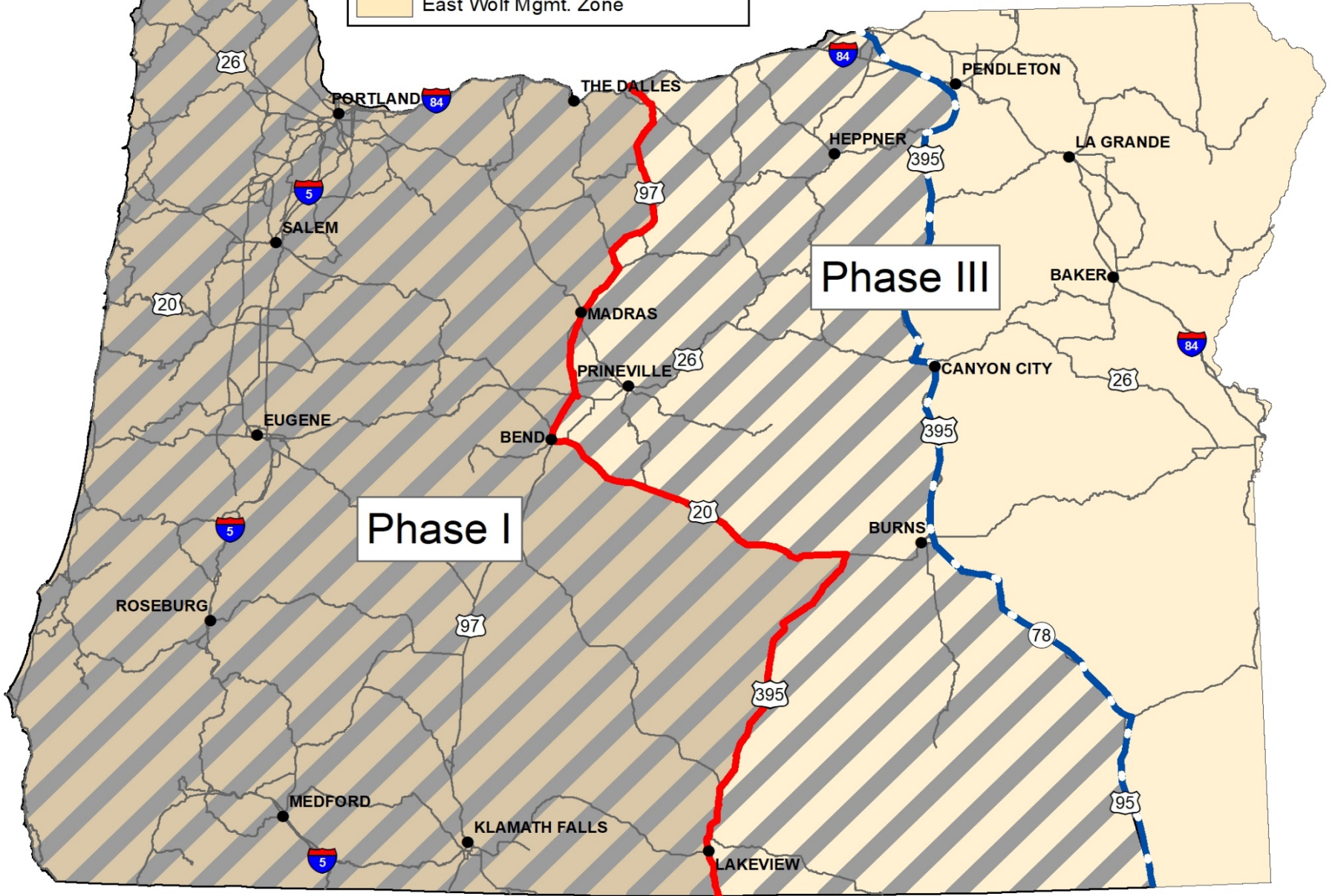


**Oregon Status**

-  Oregon Wolf Mgmt Zone Boundary
-  West Wolf Mgmt. Zone
-  East Wolf Mgmt. Zone

**Federal Status**

-  Federal Wolf Delisting Boundary
-  Federally Listed Area

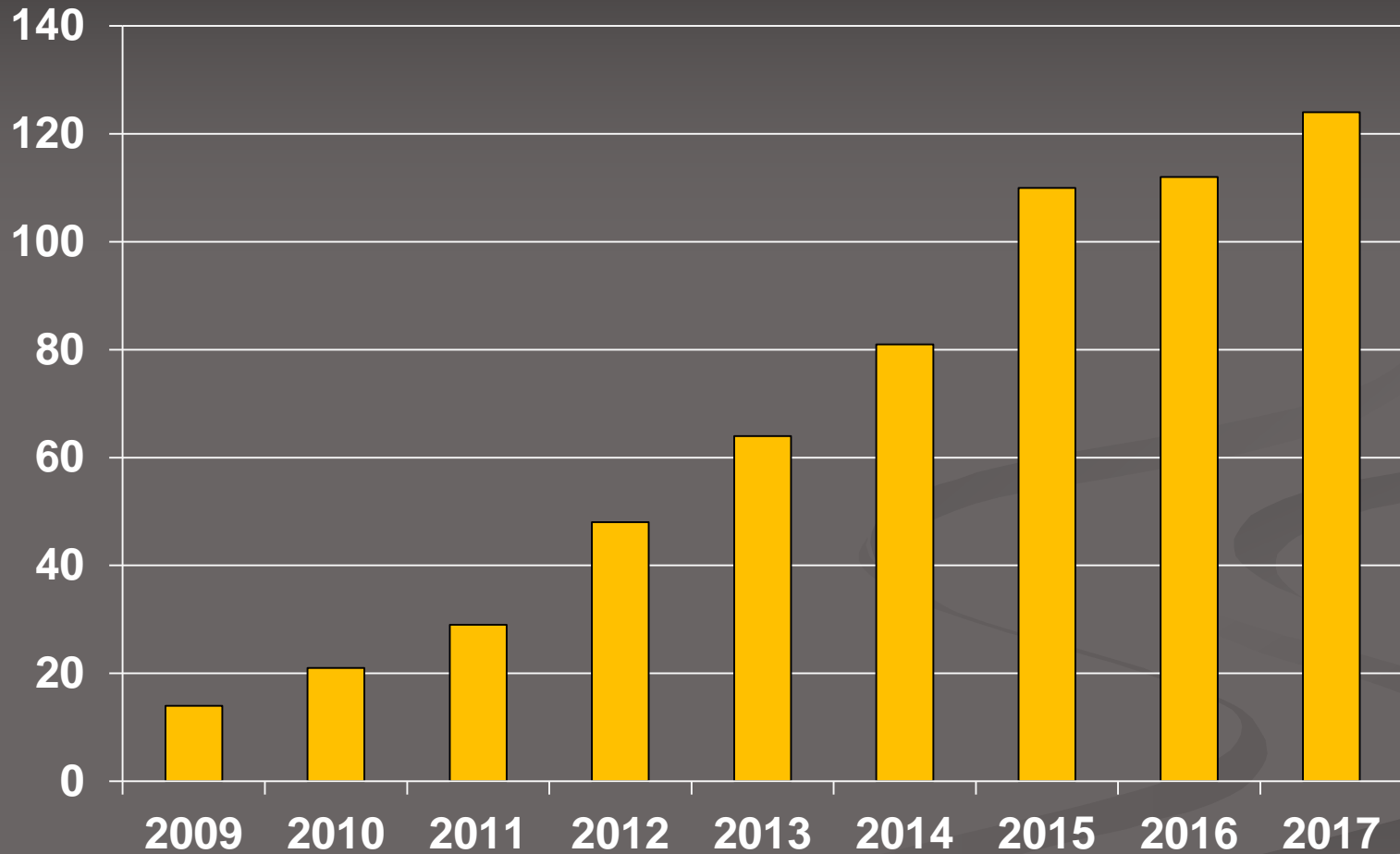


# Minimum Known Wolf Numbers



- **124 Wolves**
- **12 Packs**
- **11 Breeding pairs**

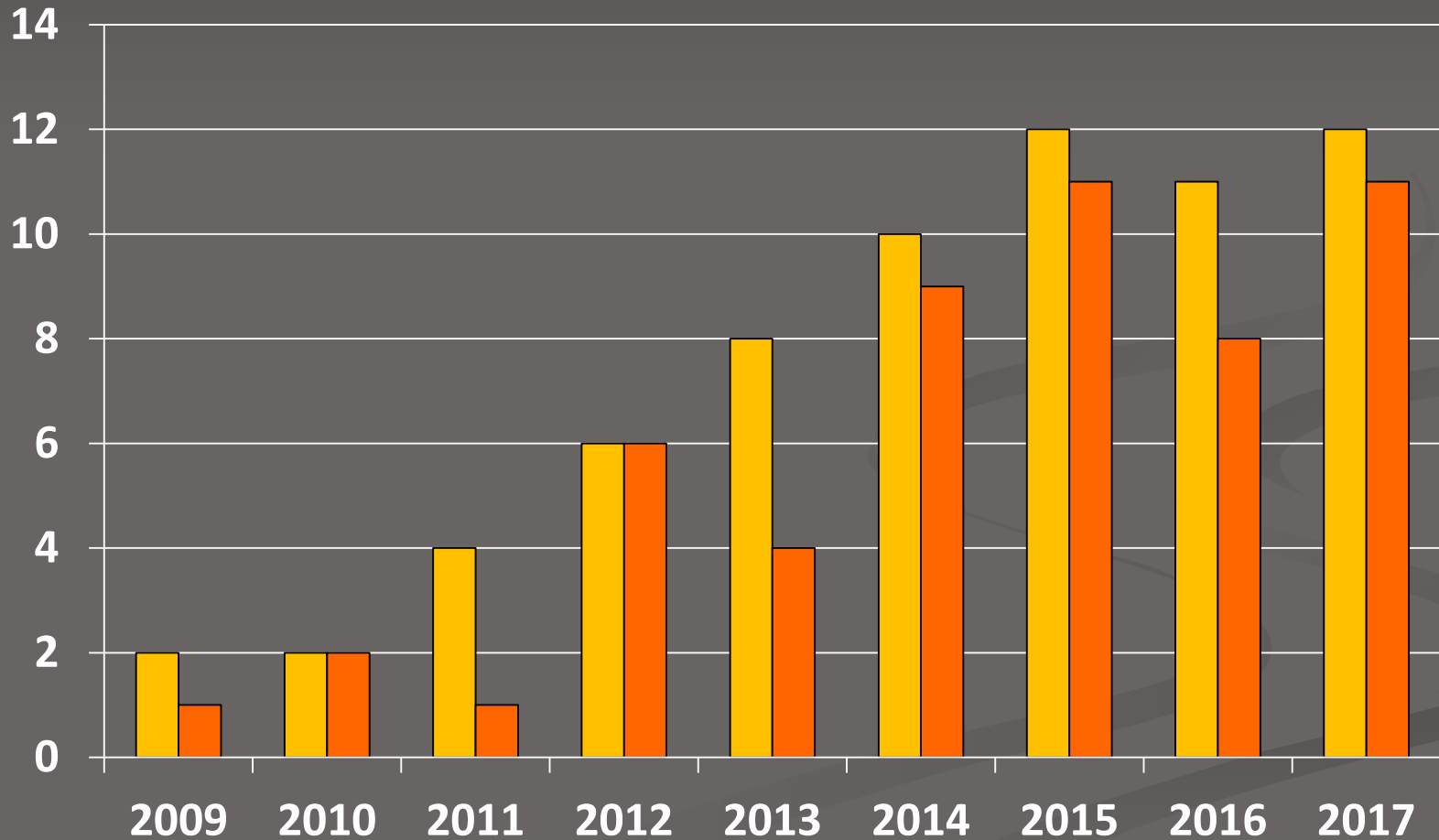
# Minimum Wolf Numbers



Minimum wolf count based on direct evidence

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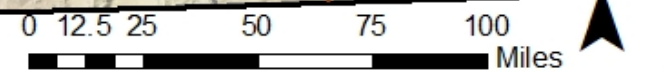
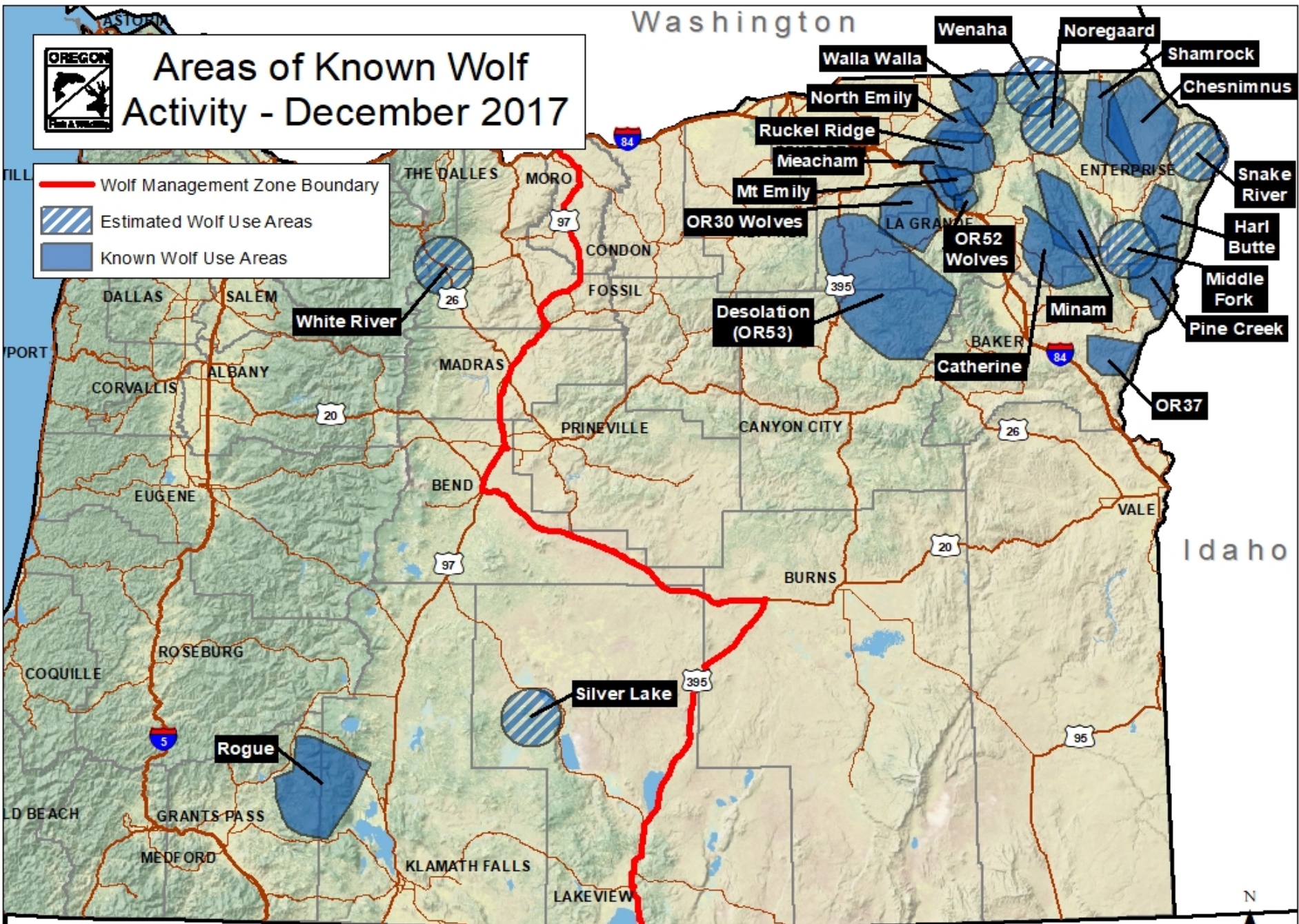
■ Packs ■ Breeding Pairs





# Areas of Known Wolf Activity - December 2017

- Wolf Management Zone Boundary
- Estimated Wolf Use Areas
- Known Wolf Use Areas



# Monitoring

- 19 wolves radio-collared in 2017
- 11 radio-collars lost
- 14 wolves monitored at the end of 2017
- 6 wolves dispersed



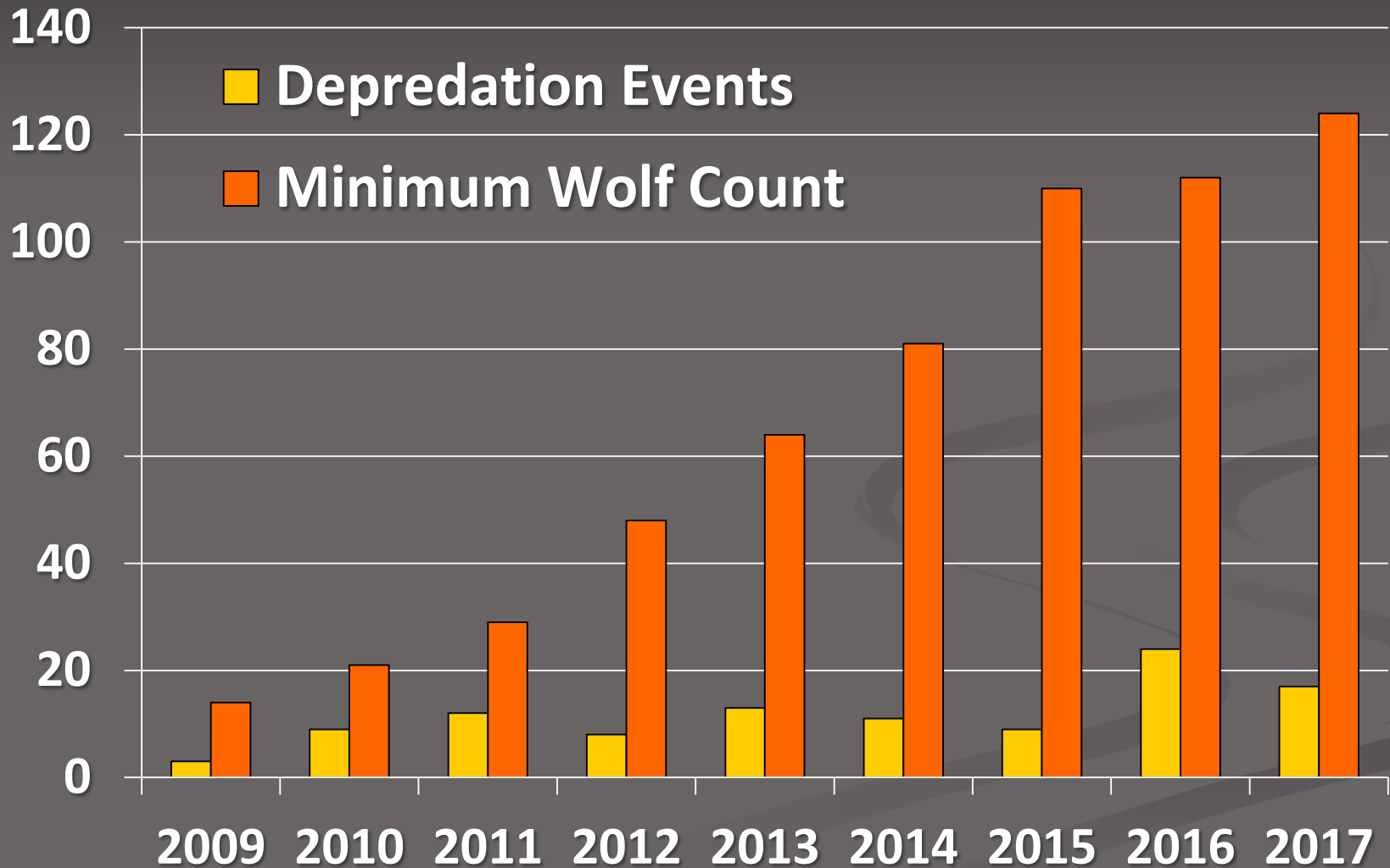
# Monitoring

## 13 Known Mortalities in 2017

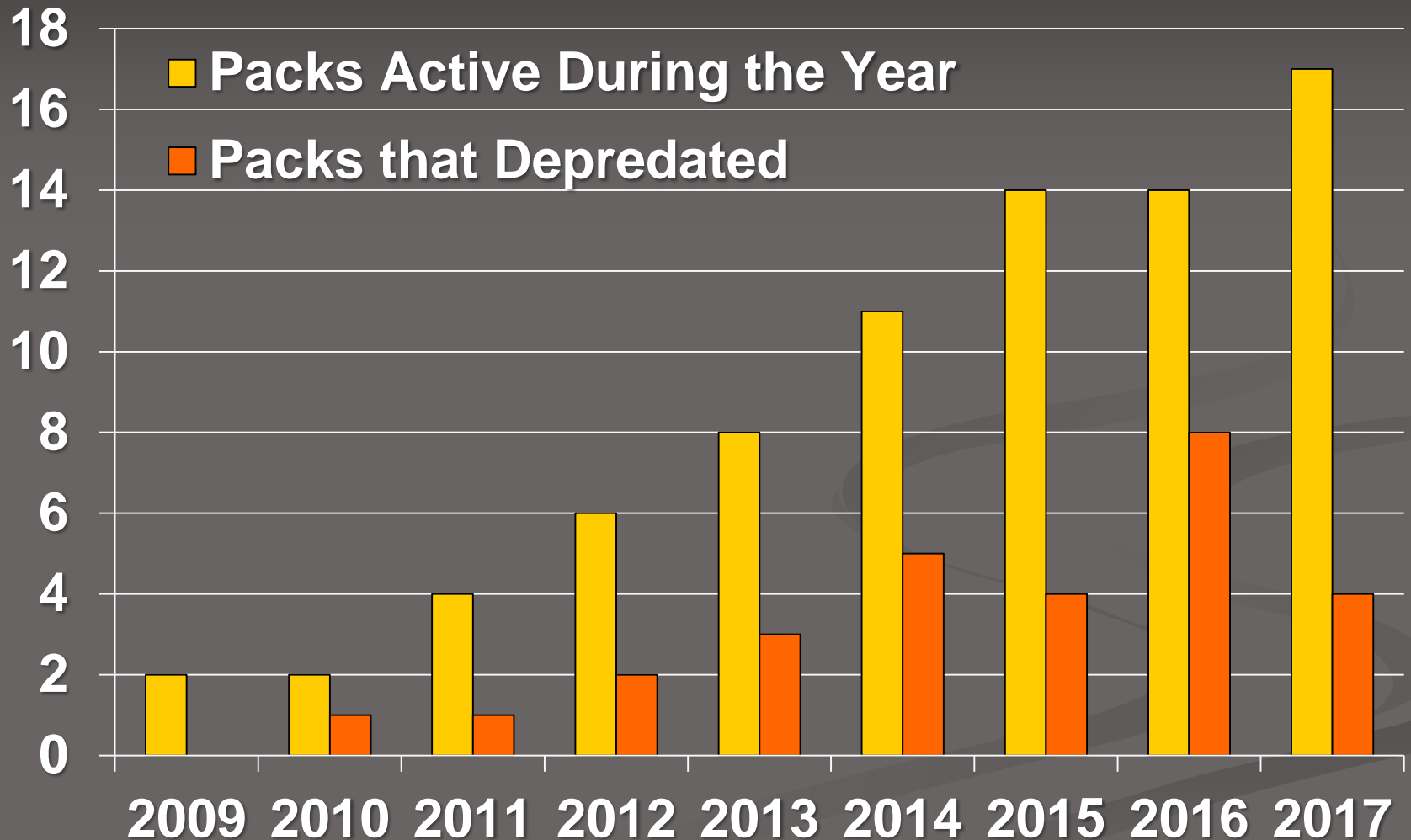
- 1 Disease
- 5 Lethal removal
- 4 Illegal kills
- 3 Other human causes



# Livestock Depredation



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**Report wolf sightings**  
**online** or call your  
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**Questions?**

