Attention Snowmobilers Do Not Harass Moose





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Moose Attacks Are Serious!

A moose that walks slowly towards you may be attacking. Watch for these signs of moose aggression: ears laid back, raised hairs on back, and may lick snout.

■ If a moose acts aggressively look for an escape route. Slowly back away toward a safe location. If a moose charges, run as fast as you can and put something large between you and the moose (a tree, car, large rock, etc.).

There Are Fines For Harassing Wildlife

Please report any illegal activity to the nearest Colorado Parks and Wildlife office or local sheriffs department.

Moose Are Often Seen On Snowmobile Trails

■ Moose are not frightened by snowmobiles, ATVs, or other vehicles. They will stand their ground and possibly charge. Do not chase, harass, or pursue wildlife on foot, a snowmobile or any other vehicle.

■ Moose often travel on packed trails and will avoid deeper snow adjacent to trails. If you encounter a moose on a trail, use an alternate route or allow the moose time to leave the area.

Colorado Parks and Wildlife suggests viewing moose from a distance, and being prepared with a camera, binoculars and/or a spotting scope.



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