



Draft West Slope Mountain Lion Management Plan

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In-Person Public Meetings

Staff Outreach

Facebook Premier Event

Online Formal Public Comment Period



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Total Engagement Recorded

584 individuals attended the in-person West Slope presentations

360 surveys were collected at the in-person West Slope presentations

Facebook Premiere Event had over 3,767 engagements within the first 22 hours of being posted

Online formal public comment period collected 1,855 comments and received international attention

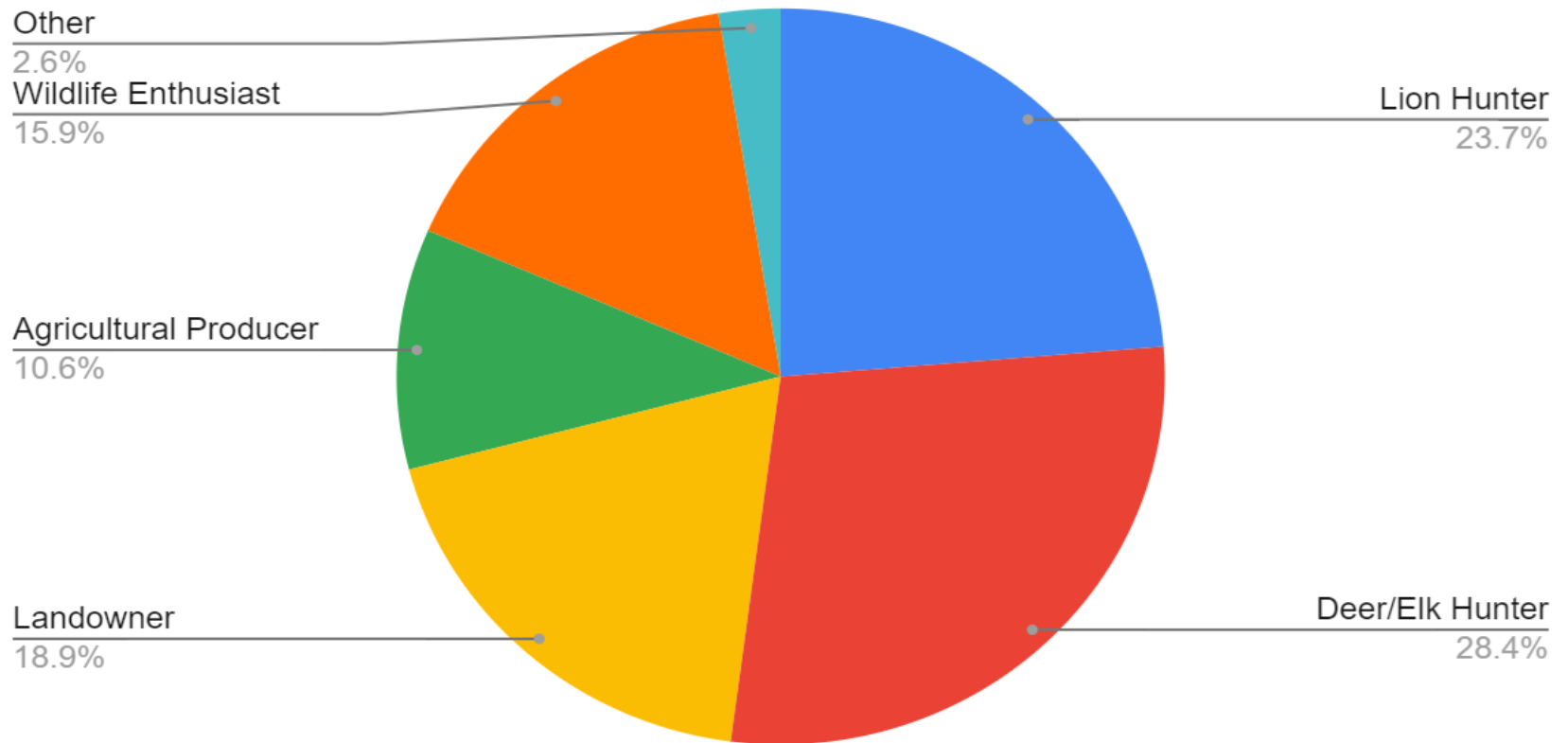


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West Slope Public Meeting Survey Feedback

How do you interact with mountain lions? Choose your primary interest.

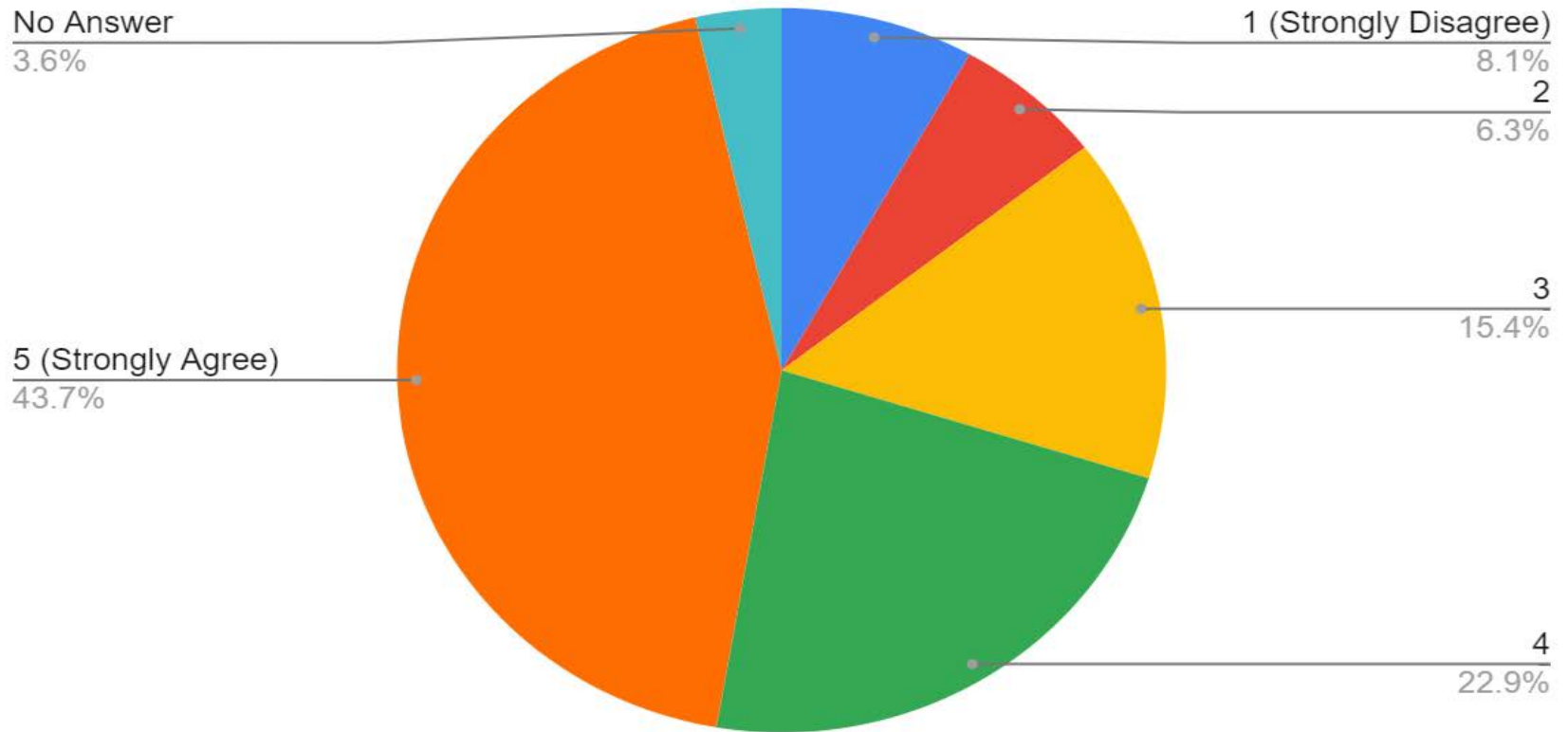


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Managing mountain lions on a landscape scale is appropriate for the species.

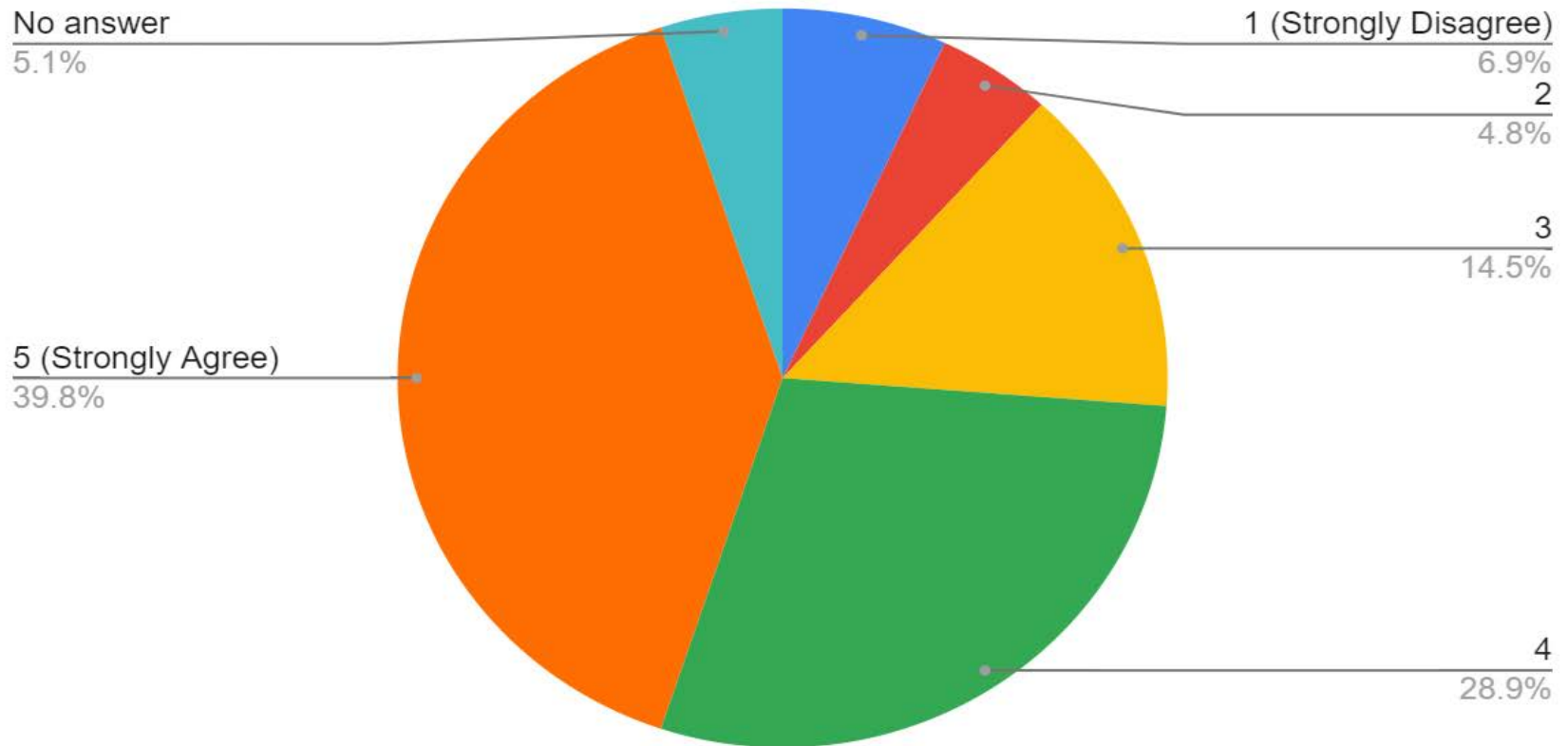


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This plan allows wildlife managers more flexibility to manage lions.

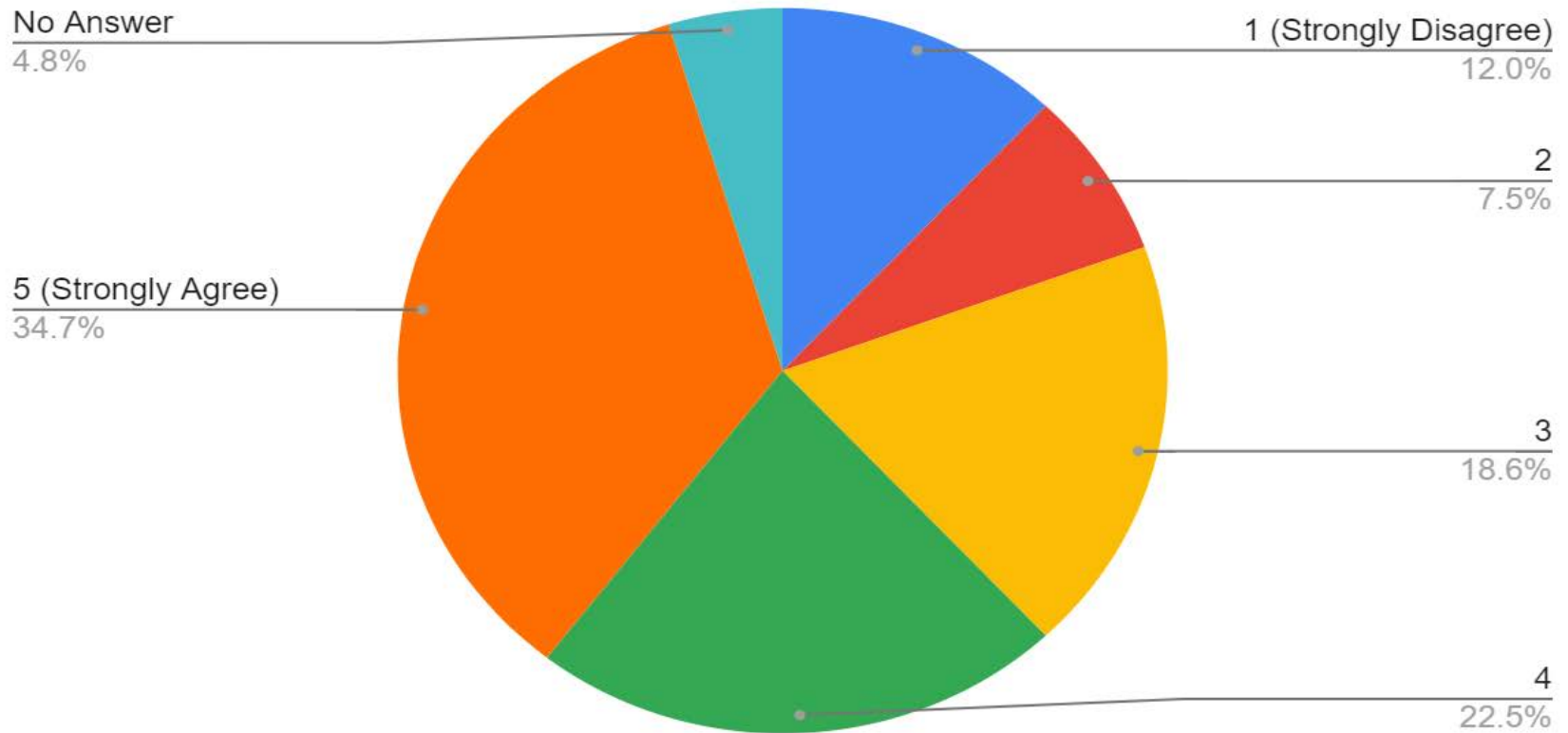


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This plan allocates harvest limits to meet local needs while maintaining a stable population...



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Stakeholder Outreach Efforts: Charted on Pages 2-4

Boards of County Commissioners

Stakeholders

Habitat Partnership Program Committees

BLM Field Offices

USFS Ranger Districts


Special Interest Groups



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Facebook Premiere Event




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Join us for the West Slope Lion Management Plan Video Open House — 3 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday, April 16.

Watch the video — read the plan: (<https://cpw.state.co.us/.../Pa.../PopulationManagementPlans.aspx>) — ask our team a question in the comments 🙋

To submit feedback please visit: <https://bit.ly/2Vfstpy>



West Slope Lion Management Plan Video Open House
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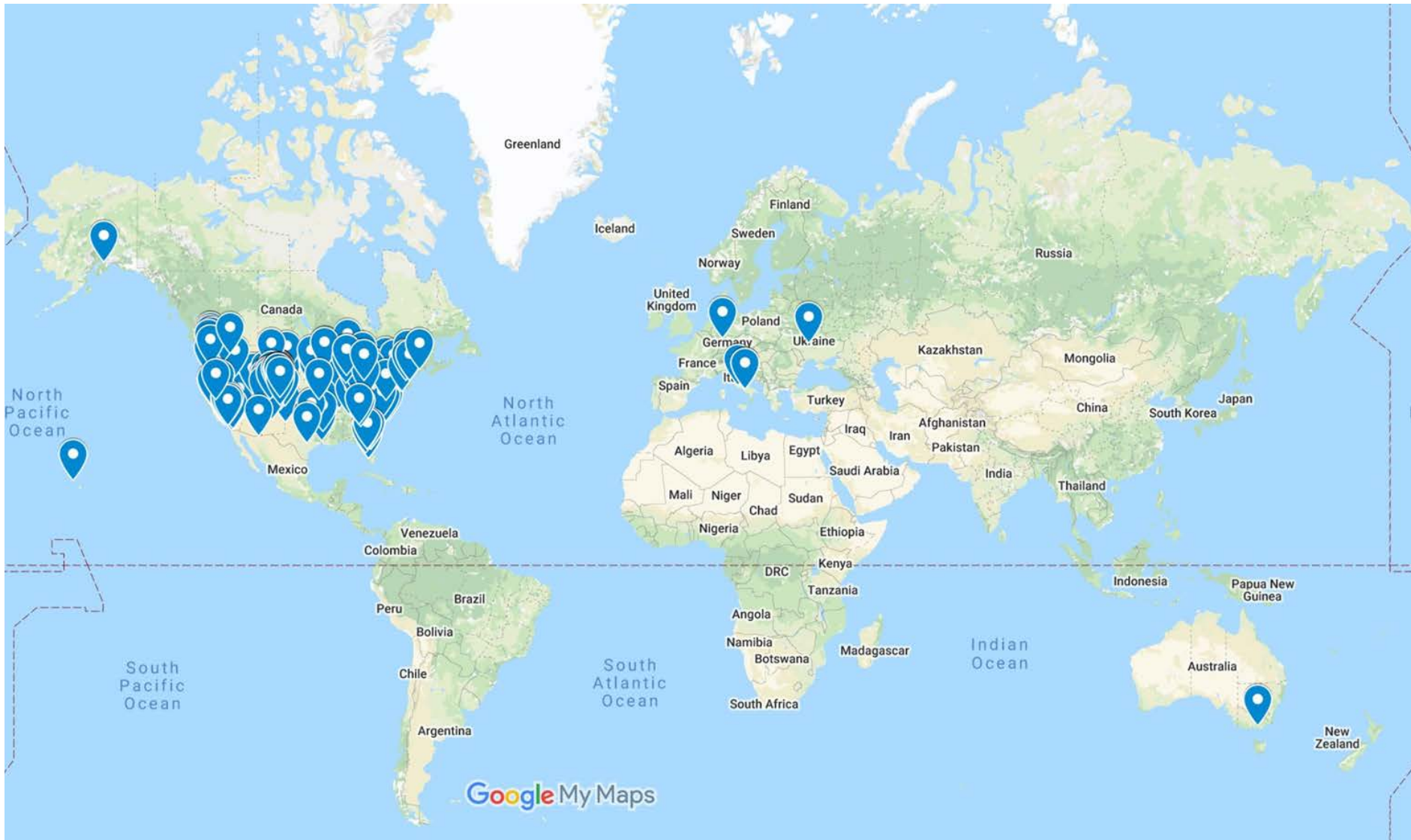
32,793 People Reached	3,767 Engagements	Boost Post
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92 103 Comments 33 Shares



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Online Comment Period - Attention Received

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Comment Statistics

81% of the comments associated with Colorado zip codes were from the East Slope

17% of the comments associated with Colorado zip codes were from the West Slope



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Comment Statistics: Page 9

1. Not Applicable, Incoherent, or blank: 652 comments or 35%
2. Form elements identified (indicating the comment period came to their attention through a mailing list): 259 comments or 14%
3. Against trophy hunting, against mountain lion hunting, or against all hunting: 475 comments or 25%
4. Against suppression of mountain lions, against harvest increases, or against the Glenwood Springs SMA: 406 comments or 22%
5. Against the use of electronic calls: 323 comments or 17%
6. Against April mountain lion harvest, concurrent seasons, or extended seasons: 184 comments or 10%
7. Supportive of this plan & lion hunting: 139 comments or 7%
8. Supportive of increased mountain lion harvest, mountain lion population reduction, or the Glenwood Springs SMA: 61 comments or 3%
9. Requested more research on mountain lions on the West Slope of Colorado: 101 comments or 5%



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Agency Response to Public Feedback

Peer-Review by Oregon
Department of Fish & Wildlife

West Slope Lion Density Surveys

Adaptive Management in the
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Increasing public education
programs



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