

REWILDING AT A COST

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Proposition 114 has enabled wolves to be reintroduced to Colorado's landscape. In the past two years, there have been over 25 wolves released into CO. From November 2025-February 2026, the program plans on reintroducing 10-15 more wolves.



Wolf Activity



Wolves have spread to **29 counties**

Wolf Program Costs

Over \$8 Million in Taxpayer Funds to Date

\$3.5 Million in Conflict Management Expenses in 2024

Over \$600,000 in claims for wolf-related livestock losses in 2024 alone

119% in actual cost increases relative to 2023-2024



Livestock Impact

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Depredation cases
per wolf per year

Loss per depredation case is
approximately

\$32,000

Estimated Future Economic Costs to the State

Between 2026 and 2040

Over \$334M in GDP losses

Over \$611M in lost business output

Over \$333M in forgone personal income