

Does trophy hunting grizzly bears in Teton County make sense?

WGFD has proposed issuing 3 grizzly bear hunting licenses this fall in Teton County.

The economic potential of hunting grizzlies in Teton County is minuscule.

3 tags will be issued generating less than \$10,000 of revenue for WGFD (2 resident tags at \$600 and 1 non-resident tags at \$6,000)

At a generous \$10,000 per hunter, hunter-related spending in Teton County generates only \$30,000

The existing economic impact of tourism in Teton County is massive.

2016 travel generated spending in Teton County was \$1.02 Billion and supported 8,250 jobs in the community. (source: Wyoming Office of Tourism)

Grizzly hunting is NOT going to enhance Jackson Hole in the eyes of our past and future visitors. Our visitors expect us to protect our wildlife.

Every 1% drop in our tourism-based economy equals \$10 million and 75 jobs lost.

A Teton County grizzly hunt puts our billion-dollar economy at risk for less than \$50,000 of gain.

Does that make sense?

In Teton County we don't hunt grizzlies...we protect them!
Teton County should be exempt from grizzly bear hunting.

Contact your Teton County County Commissioners
Demand that they stand up for our grizzly bears!