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Wolf post-recovery plan scoping update



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**16 days left in scoping comment period
(deadline Nov. 1 at 5:00 PM)**

Digital open houses

Sept. 17 (6:00 – 7:30 PM)

Live viewers: 227

People who watched later: 101

Total plays: 328

Sept. 25 (12:00 – 1:00 PM)

Live viewers: 80

People who watched later: 42

Total plays: 122

Oct. 15 (6:00 – 7:30 PM)

Live viewers: 80

People who watched later: 3

Total plays: 83

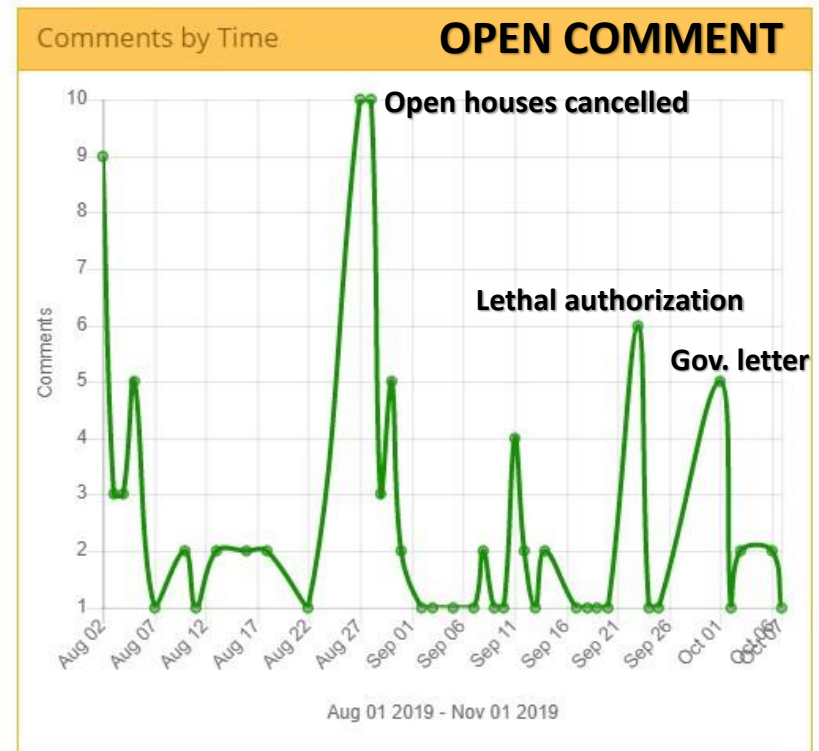
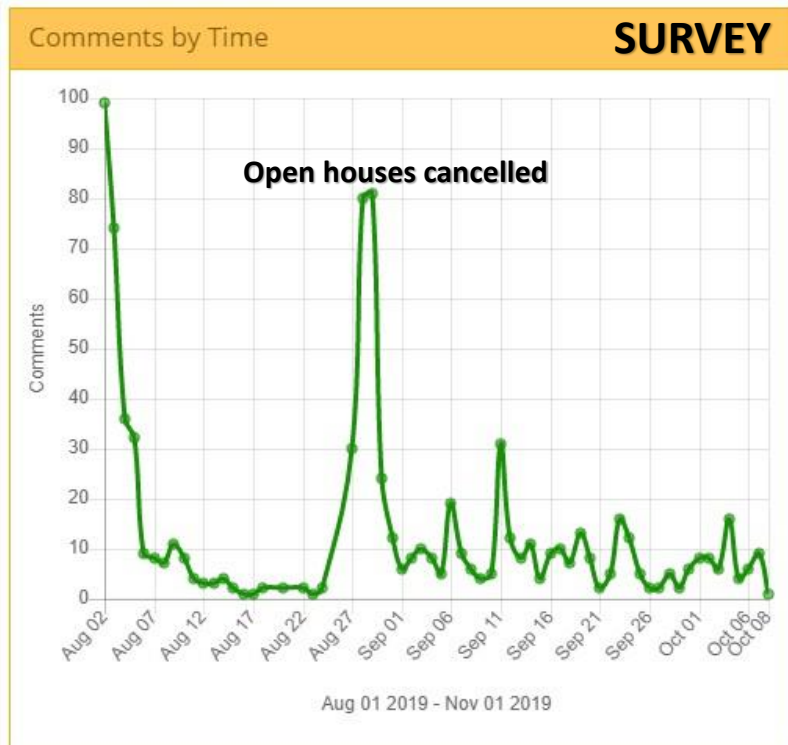
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webinars
available at
[wdfw.wa.gov/
wolves-post-
recovery](https://wdfw.wa.gov/wolves-post-recovery)



Scoping comments

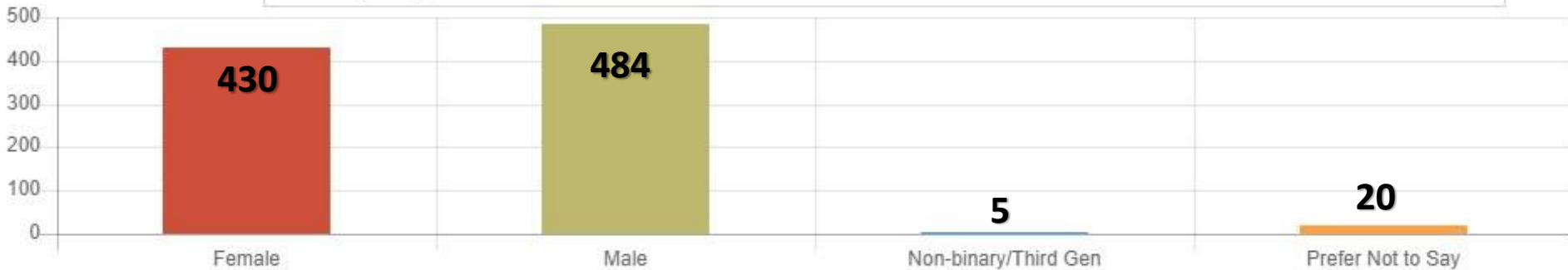
1,073 comments/submissions (as of 10/17/19)

- 939 survey respondents, 125 open comments, 9 hard copy comments

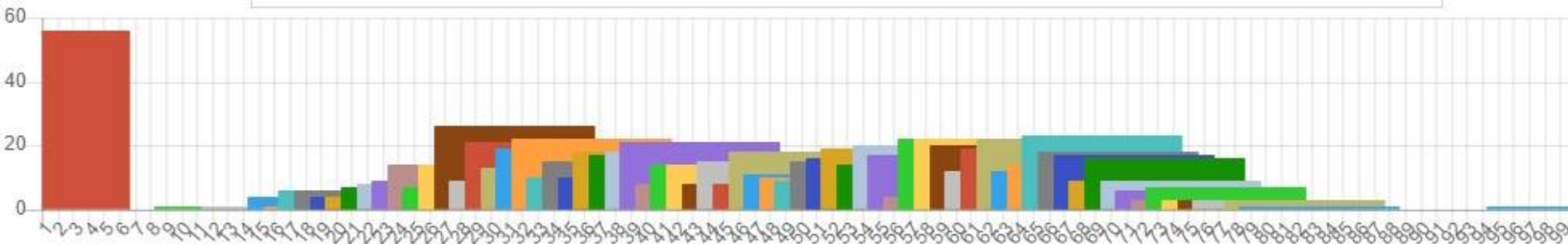


Demographics (N = 939)

Show: What is your gender?

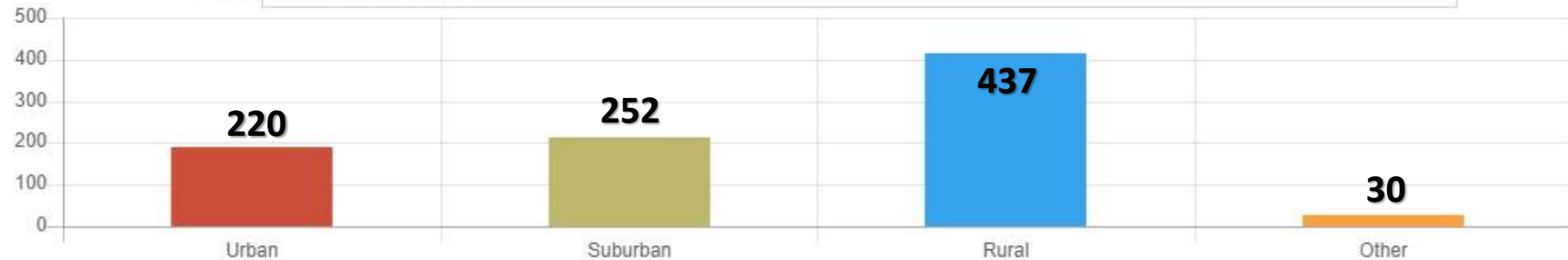


Show: Age?

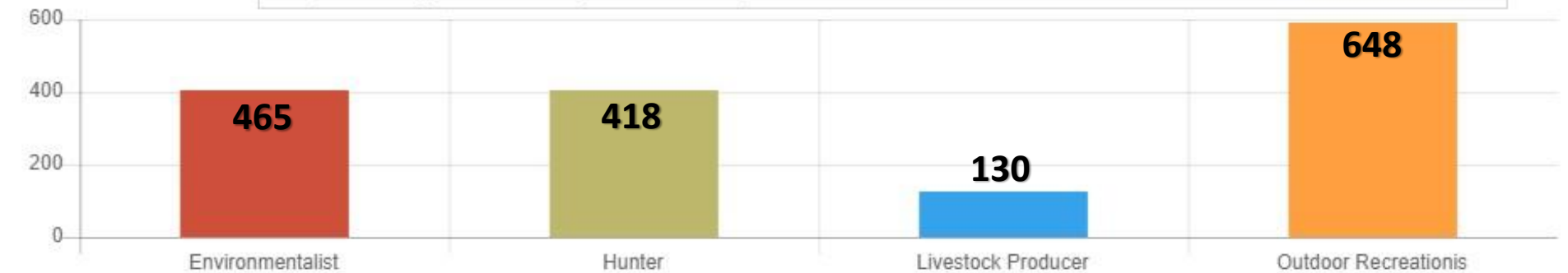


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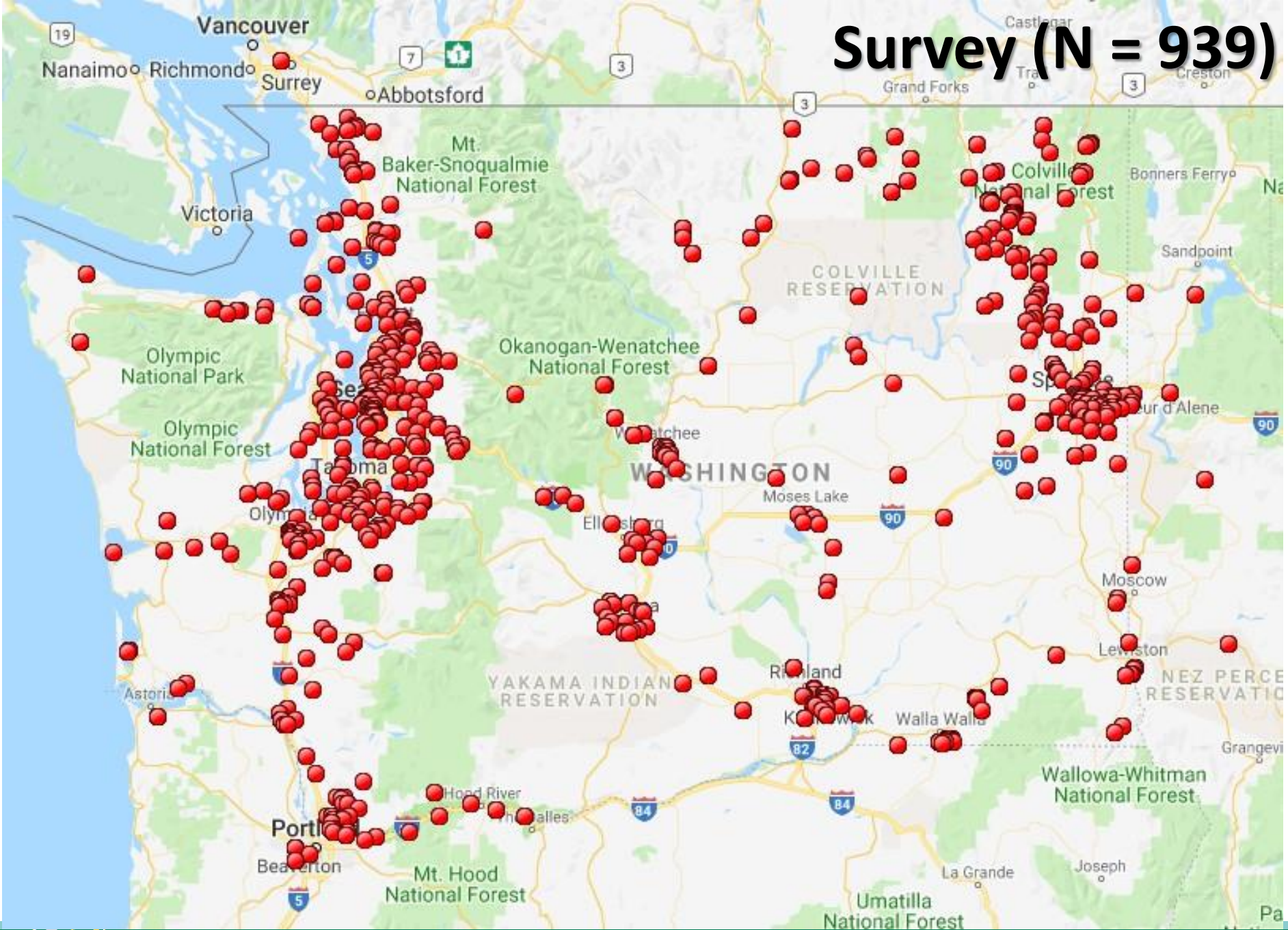
Show: Residential setting:



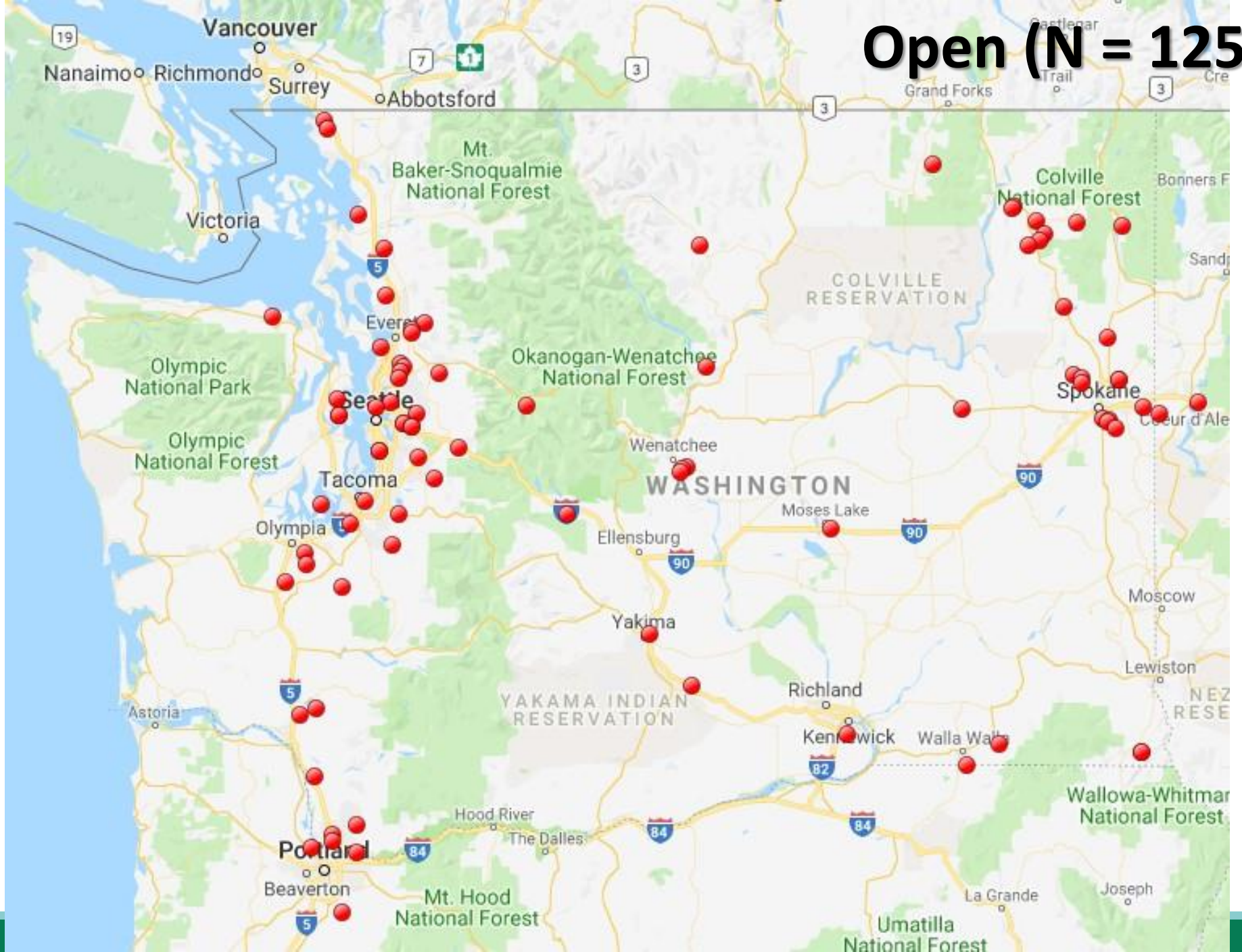
Show: Do you identify yourself as any of the following?:



Survey (N = 939)

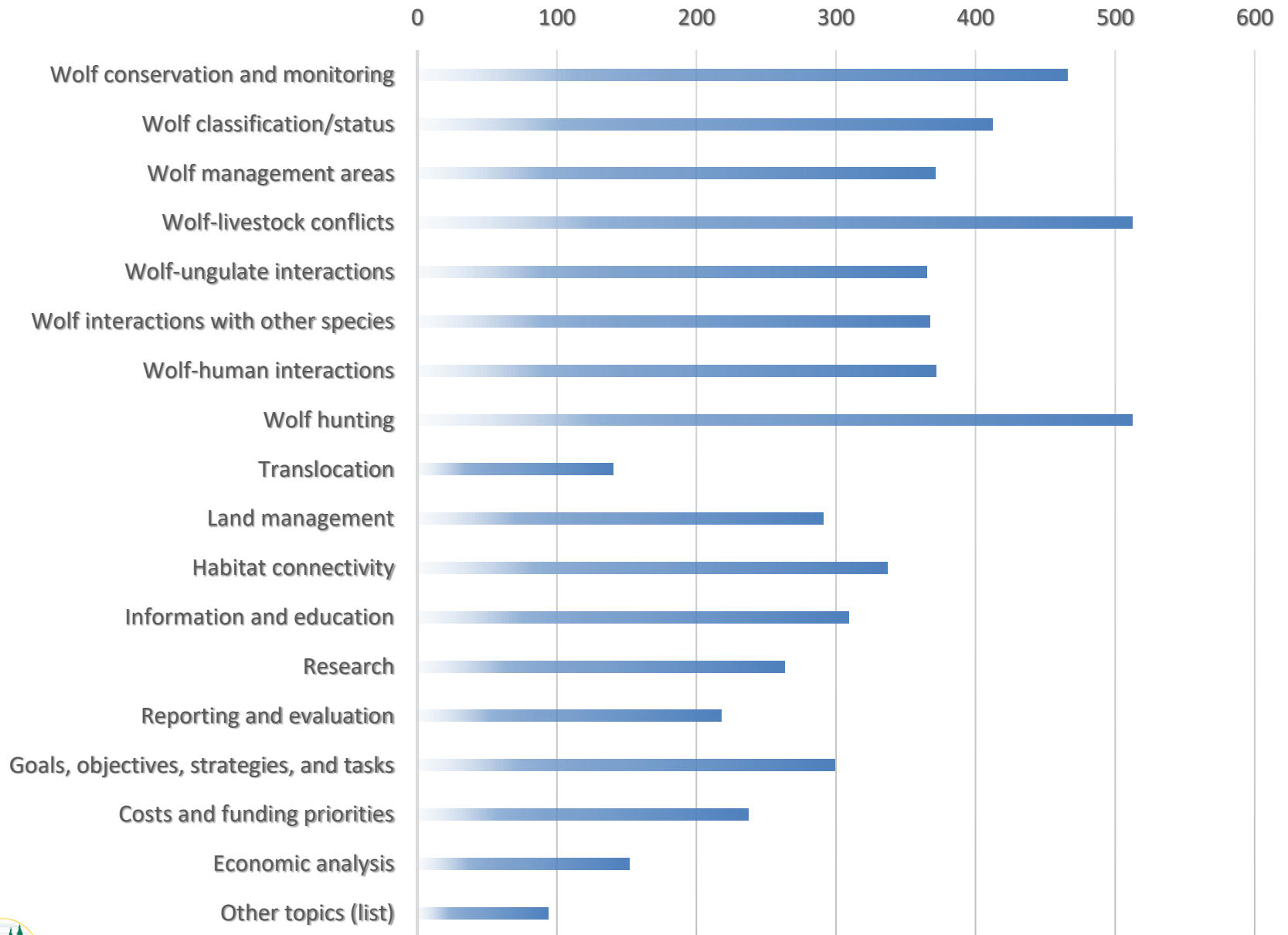


Open (N = 125)





MOST IMPORTANT IMPACT TOPICS (N = 846)



Comment topics

- Costs and funding (reimburse WDFW for removal)
- Costs and funding priorities (\$ from LP)
- Information and education
- Land management (no lethal on public land)
- Land management (PL is for grazing)
- Land management (remove livestock from PL)
- Outside scope
- Outside scope (anti-wolf)
- Outside scope (pro-wolf)
- Translocation (for conflict mitigation)
- Translocation (ONP)
- Unclassified
- Wolf classification/status (protect)
- Wolf hunting (do not support)
- Wolf hunting (support)
- Wolf-livestock conflict (no lethal)
- Wolf-livestock conflict (put wolves in captivity)
- Wolf-livestock conflict (remove cattle from PL)
- Wolf-ungulate interactions (concern re: prey pop)

