



WILD SHEEP FOUNDATION

Alberta Chapter

“Together we can Ensure the Future of Wildlife”

Mission Statement:

To promote and enhance the increasing populations of indigenous wild sheep in Alberta through funding of programs that support responsible wildlife management, conservation education, youth involvement and the preservation of our hunting heritage

Wild Sheep Foundation Alberta Chapter (WSFA) is a member-driven organization that connects hunting guides and outfitters, wildlife researchers, habitat conservationists, sportsmen and women, and the general public. The website is the place to meet, stay informed, find free resources, share information, and stay in touch.

Wild Sheep Foundation Alberta is proud to be involved with many different conservation organizations in the province of Alberta. WSFA members also sit on various boards and committees, sharing their voice with other groups. Working together only makes us stronger as we ensure the future of wildlife in our province. Some of these include:

- ✓ National Wild Sheep Foundation - to enhance wild sheep populations, promote professional wildlife management, educate the public about wild sheep and the conservation benefits of hunting, encourage fair chase hunting, and protect sportsmen's rights
- ✓ W.I.S.E. Foundation (Wildlife/In Trust/Safekeeping/Education) - to assist in the administration and delivery of Alberta's Conservation Education programs
- ✓ Alberta Hunter Education Instructors' Association - promoting the highest standard of sportsman behaviour
- ✓ Hunting for Tomorrow - Strengthening the work of other organizations in Alberta
- ✓ Alberta Outdoors Coalition - to have a voice on outdoor decisions involving land and wildlife
- ✓ Program Advisory Committee (PAC) - to review, rank and allocate funding raised through the Minister's Special Licence Program.

With continued downsizing of government agencies, more onus is being placed on conservation organizations to initiate, manage and fund wildlife and habitat enhancement programs. WSFA is committed to being included and involved in programs that work toward the goals and mission of WSFA.

WSFA receives many applications for funding every year. To ensure that all funding requests are dealt with in an efficient manner the Foundation will be formalizing its application process somewhat. This will allow all requests to be considered and integrated with their budgeting process.

“We are proud to have contributed more than \$400,000 for a large variety of projects that enhance Bighorn Sheep and other wildlife in Alberta.”

The Wild Sheep Foundation has twelve chapters throughout the United States of America and one Chapter in Alberta, Canada. Membership to the Wild Sheep Foundation can be purchased through the website listed below and range from \$30.00 for an individual, \$75.00 for a three year single membership, \$50.00 for a family, to a \$500.00 Lifetime Membership.

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