



## STATE OF ARIZONA LIVESTOCK LOSS BOARD

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Jeff Burgess  
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Dear Mr. Burgess:

The Arizona Game and Fish Department (AZGFD) is in receipt of your public records request regarding information on the compensation awards by the Arizona Livestock Loss Board (ALLB) for depredations and for conflict avoidance grants. These data were provided to you via email dated January 12, 2023.

In a separate public records request, you requested copies of the grant match affidavit forms provided to the Arizona Livestock Loss Board. I have copied the relevant language from the Interim Policy located on the ALLB website that shows there are three options available to a claimant to meet the match requirements.

***The Claimant must provide a dollar-for-dollar match of the reimbursement amount. The match may include Claimant's cash, in-kind contributions, or third-party contributions on behalf of Claimant.***

Currently, while there still is the option for a claimant to provide their match, in an effort to maximize Mexican wolf recovery, the AZGFD is using third party contributions to meet the match requirements for the grants. Sources include contributions from Non-governmental organizations with the remainder coming in the way of match provided by AZGFD wherein non-federal funds expended by the agency in furtherance of Mexican wolf recovery are used. At this time, there are no affidavits that are responsive to your public records request.

Sincerely:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim deVos".

Jim deVos, Mexican Wolf Coordinator  
Arizona Game and Fish Department