PROJECT SUMMARY

The project LIFEstockProtect brings together under the lead of agricultural organisations Austrian, Bavarian and South Tyrolean livestock owners, herd protection experts, scientists, nature conservationists and other stakeholders.

The main goal is to demonstrate and implement livestock protection, as a way to actively support human-livestock-wildlife coexistence. It will focus on the predominately German-speaking Alpine region. LIFEstockProtect has the following objectives:

- To train livestock owners in livestock protection
- To train livestock protection consultation experts
- To support and/or set up livestock protection competence centres
- To increase acceptance for implementation of livestock protection at local level
- Educate and raise awareness about livestock protection among farmers, experts, youth and general public
- Improve professional and public support to promote coexistence with wildlife

LIFEstockProtect aims to:
- Increase the number of areas, where livestock protection is implemented effectively
- Increase the knowledge on livestock protection among livestock owners
- Decrease the human-livestock-wildlife conflict within the Alpine target regions

Expected project start: September 2020
Project duration: 5 years

Project implementation regions: Austria (all regions), Germany (Bavaria), and Italy (Trentino-Alto Adige).

Number of partners: 15

Project budget: approximately € 4 900 000,-

Completed Declaration of Support must include a signature and date, and submitted to:
nick.huisman@wilderness-society.org

Thank you!

DECLARATION OF SUPPORT FROM THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY

Optional: in addition to the support of the necessary competent authorities as described in the guidelines for applicants, this form may also be used to indicate any other support to the project by important <u>stakeholder bodies</u>, <u>administrative bodies</u> or <u>individuals</u> that may be concerned by the project.

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Please specify whether, why and how you will support this project: (max. 1500 characters)

At (location):

On (date):

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