

# Citizen Resolution # 070221

(For Hearing Officer completion)



## Eliminate the use of dogs/hounds during any wolf hunt

**Whereas: The DNR was forced due to a court order to hold a rushed unscheduled Gray wolf hunt during breeding season using an antiquated Management plan that included a system that allowed for 100 extra wolves to be slaughtered. The NRB had voted against a hunt until the management plan had been updated. Had the tribes killed their allotted 81 wolves, we would be looking at a total of 300 wolves removed from the landscape in the most brutal manner. Over 85% of the wolves killed were killed using packs of dogs. This has disrupted the pack order possibly irreparably by killing roughly 47% of bred, breeding or breedable females. A conservative 400 pups that will never hit the ground. Facebook pages included video's showing the world the use of loaded long guns on snowmobiles running down packs of gray wolves with packs of up to 6 hounds per wolf tag ended in some cases as a wolf/dog fight in the woods. The only state to allow the use of dogs on wolves, WI made international news. If the second slaughter planned for Nov. takes place the wolf pack providers will be eliminated jeopardizing the survival of the few pups that are born. Now therefore be it resolved: No dogs/hounds may be used during any Gray Wolf Hunts.**

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