

Quotes about Grizzly Bear Outreach Project

“This is the way we should all be doing business”.

Anne Badgley, Regional Director US Fish and Wildlife Service, Portland, Oregon, October 2002

“The GBOP method of engaging the people one on one who live within grizzly bear habitat is invaluable. It is the antidote to the misinformation and myth surrounding this animal and the process for its recovery. And, most importantly, this approach is exportable. It’s not limited to one area or one animal”.

Joe Scott, Director, International Conservation, Northwest Ecosystem Alliance

“I find the Grizzly Bear Outreach Project to be among the most progressive, and necessary, efforts going for grizzly bear recovery”.

Skipp Ladd, Asst. Regional Director, Natural Resources & Sciences, Intermountain Region, National Park Service and Interagency Grizzly Bear Committee Chair, December 2002.

“This is a really important project– sharing information about grizzly bears and recovery with local people is critical”.

Business owner, Whatcom County

“People with differing opinions are often really not all that different– there can be a lot in common–sitting down to talk through projects like this is certainly a good first step”.

Cattle rancher, Whatcom County

“Keep up the good work”.

Business owner, Skagit County

“I won’t ever be a strong supporter of grizzly bear recovery, but I do appreciate you taking the time to come talk to me”.

Guide–outfitter, Okanogon County

“We have infringed on the grizzly bear’s habitat– we need to learn how to live with them”.

Hiker, Skagit County

“Absolutely excellent–concise and fair”.

“Very inspirational– I will use the web to learn more”.

“A very animated, interesting speaker”.

“Great questions and answers, and a healthy perspective”.

“What a great example of taking a topic and doing a great job of public education.”

Comments from GBOP audience members