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## HOWL FOR WOLVES

Saturday, June 9, 2018 | 9am-12pm

Center for Urban Horticulture, Seattle, WA

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## **Howl For Wolves to Showcase Wolf Conservation & Coexistence in Washington June 9**

**WHAT:** [Howl For Wolves](#), presented by the Pacific Wolf Coalition, will provide the public with information, education, materials and a hands-on learning experience to gain a deeper understanding of the gray wolf's return to Washington, and the complexities of wolf recovery and coexistence efforts throughout the state. Howl for Wolves will connect with the public in a family-friendly, engaging way with three sessions of content that include talks from wildlife experts and demonstrations of wolf deterrence tools, including a demonstration from a range rider.

**WHO:** Expert speakers include:

- **Quinn Read | Northwest Director, Defenders of Wildlife**  
Quinn Read directs Defenders of Wildlife's work to protect imperiled wildlife and their habitats in the Northwest, and oversees field staff in Washington, Oregon, and Idaho.
- **Amaroq Weiss | West Coast Wolf Advocate, Center for Biological Diversity**  
A biologist and former attorney, Amaroq has worked on wolf issues on the West Coast, as well as the northern Rockies, Alaska, the Southwest and on the Federal level, for 21 years.
- **Lorna Smith | Executive Director, Western Wildlife Outreach**  
Western Wildlife Outreach, under Lorna's direction since 2012, has focused on education about the ecological role played by large carnivores, including gray wolves, as well as how humans and wolves can coexist through the wise use of nonlethal deterrents to avoid conflict between livestock and wolves.
- **Daniel Curry | Owner, G.R.I.P.H**  
G.R.I.P.H. is a small business that focuses on human wildlife conflict mitigation, which creates real solutions for wolves and other animals coexisting with people that both call Washington state their homes. Daniel the most experienced range rider in the state and has a unique perspective of the situation of wolves on the landscape with livestock.

**WHERE:** Center for Urban Horticulture at the University of Washington Botanic Gardens  
3501 NE 41st Street  
Seattle, WA 98105

**WHEN: Saturday, June 9, 2018, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

**Registration is complimentary.** More information, speaker information, schedule, and online registration available at [howlforwolves.com](http://howlforwolves.com).

**About the Pacific Wolf Coalition**

The Pacific Wolf Coalition is a 30-member group of conservation non-profits dedicated to the long-term recovery efforts of the gray wolf as they return to the Pacific West states of Washington, Oregon and California. Our goal is to optimize an alliance of organizations and individuals dedicated to protecting wolves in the Pacific West. Together, we hold a common vision where wolves once again play a positive, meaningful, and sustainable role on the landscape and in our culture. More at [www.pacificwolves.org](http://www.pacificwolves.org).

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