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# News Release



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## **U. S. Fish and Wildlife Seeks Information on Slain Golden Eagle**

Reno, NV... The U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Law Enforcement, announced today, they are seeking information regarding a golden eagle found dead and tied to a tree along Jones Creek in the Galena Regional Park earlier this summer. Bald and golden eagles are protected under both the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act and the Migratory Bird Treaty Act. Both federal laws prohibit the taking, killing, possessing or selling of the eagles.

An award of up to \$2,500 can be paid for information that leads to prosecution and conviction for criminal acts covered by the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act. Anyone having information on this incident is requested to contact: Operation Game Thief at 1-800-992-3030 or the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Office of Law Enforcement, at 775-861-6360.

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