

**Re: [EXTERNAL] Canada Lynx ITP -- update?**

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Hi Alisa - Yes, I'll take a look at our calendars and send out an invitation. Thanks! - Tam

On Thu, Oct 24, 2019 at 9:45 AM Shull, Alisa <[alisa\\_shull@fws.gov](mailto:alisa_shull@fws.gov)> wrote:

Hi Tam,

I've included Sean in this discussion thread, too. Did you want to look for a time that we can discuss this?

Thanks for bringing it to our attention.

Alisa

On Tue, Oct 15, 2019 at 9:04 PM Smith, Tamara <[tamara\\_smith@fws.gov](mailto:tamara_smith@fws.gov)> wrote:

Hi Alisa and Phil - I thought you should be aware of this. I'm not sure how to respond and am reaching out to you both for some advice. I'm away at a conference this week but could talk when I get back if you'd like. Thanks! - Tam

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From: **Collette Adkins** <[cadkins@biologicaldiversity.org](mailto:cadkins@biologicaldiversity.org)>

Date: Tue, Oct 15, 2019 at 2:50 PM

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Canada Lynx ITP -- update?

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Dear Tamara,

In response to a court order, MN DNR in 2008 applied for an Incidental Take Permit for Canada lynx harmed because of its regulated trapping program in Minnesota. Earlier this year I submitted a FOIA request with the goal of determining the status of the ITP. I did not receive any records indicating any progress towards completion of an ITP, although I received numerous records establishing recent incidental take of Canada lynx in legally-set traps in MN. Could you please give me an update on the ITP situation? I'd be happy to discuss by phone.

Collette

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