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**Cc:** [Sherry Barrett](#)  
**Subject:** Re: ES success story  
**Date:** Thursday, December 12, 2013 7:12:11 AM  
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Who took the photo? Is it public domain?

On Wed, Dec 11, 2013 at 5:05 PM, Humphrey, Jeff <[jeff\\_humphrey@fws.gov](mailto:jeff_humphrey@fws.gov)> wrote:



## **Terence Corrigan — The White Mountain Independent**

### **Wolf supporters, foes debate issue**

Jess Carey from Reserve, N.M., raises his hand with a question for the U.S. Fish and Wildlife officials during a question-and-answer session before the formal hearing. Carey is a well-known opponent of the Mexican gray wolf reintroduction program. Carey owns a gun shop in Reserve and he works for the Catron County Sheriff's Department as the wolf interaction and wildlife investigator. Catron County maintains a toll free "wolf hotline." The number is (800) 704-2281.

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<http://www.fws.gov/southwest/es/arizona/>

On Wed, Dec 11, 2013 at 3:56 PM, Tom Buckley <[tom\\_buckley@fws.gov](mailto:tom_buckley@fws.gov)> wrote:  
I'm checking with Katja. Should know by tomorrow.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 11, 2013, at 3:15 PM, "Barrett, Sherry" <[sherry\\_barrett@fws.gov](mailto:sherry_barrett@fws.gov)> wrote:

Unfortunately, I don't think anyone took any pictures at either! We'll need to assign that task next time.

On Wed, Dec 11, 2013 at 3:10 PM, Shaughnessy, Michelle  
<[michelle\\_shaughnessy@fws.gov](mailto:michelle_shaughnessy@fws.gov)> wrote:

Do we have a photo of the hearing we could use?

On Wednesday, December 11, 2013, Buckley, Tom wrote:

Hi Michelle. I chose this because it reflects an accomplishment that was met in no small part due to our folks. Also, I don't have any stories from other folks yet, but I'm working on it.

I like this one and think it shows camaraderie.

## **R2 ES Staff Comes Together to Support Mexican Wolf Program at Two Public Comment Hearings**

The Service held two public hearings, one on November 20<sup>th</sup> in Albuquerque, New Mexico, and the other on December 3<sup>rd</sup> in Pinetop, Arizona, to provide the public additional opportunities to present comments on the proposed reclassification of the Mexican wolf as an endangered subspecies, and the proposed revisions to the Mexican wolf Experimental Nonessential Population rule. These hearings were attended by approximately 500 people each. Most of the attendees were from the southwest, while others traveled from as far as New York, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Washington State, Missouri, California and Utah to attend the hearings and give comment. ES personnel stepped up, many volunteering, to help the wolf program staff these two meetings which had a high probability of being contentious due to a large public turnout voicing opposing views on wolf recovery and the policies being proposed by the Service. The hearings went off smoothly, in large part because of the assistance and professionalism of our staff. For more information on the Mexican wolf program visit their web site:

<http://www.fws.gov/southwest/es/mexicanwolf/>.

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