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Subject: Crane damage data

Hi Ben,

I have the reported sandhill crane damage for CY 2023 broken down in several categories for your review.

Agriculture – Field Crops – includes corn (field and sweet) , wheat, potatoes, rye, sod, hayfields, pumpkins, squash. 200 incidents that damaged crops that the self-reported value was \$1,811,400. Field corn was \$934,900 and potatoes was \$870,500. Showing minimal damages in the rest of the crops listed.

Agriculture – Fruits and Nuts – includes cranberries and strawberries. 2 incidents valued at \$100,000 all in cranberries.

Health and Safety – Human – includes threats to aviation and general nuisance. 5 incidents, no loss data.

Property – Equipment includes aircraft, land vehicles. 11 incidents. No loss data.

Property – Landscaping, Turf, Gardens includes golf courses and recreational areas. 4 incidents, valued at \$60,500, \$58K of that was from golf courses.

Property – Other includes cemeteries and general property. 2 incidents valued at \$2,000 all in a cemetery.

Property – Structures includes residential buildings, 5 incidents valued at \$250.

Total 229 incidents reported to USDA Wildlife Services in 2023 with a reported value of those resources damaged at \$1,974,150

Please let me know if you have any questions regarding this data.

Regards,

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