

**Wyoming Game and Fish Department  
Commission Memo**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Wyoming Game and Fish Commission

FROM: Angi Bruce, Deputy Director

SUBJECT: Agenda Item for the January 2021 Commission Meeting

DATE: January 14, 2021

PRESENTERS: Angi Bruce and Amanda Losch, Habitat Protection Supervisor

TITLE: Guidelines for Wind and Solar Energy Development

DESCRIPTION: The Commission will be asked to vote to approve the Department's Guidelines for Wind and Solar Energy Development.

TIME NEEDED: 30 minutes

Summary:

The Commission will be provided with a presentation of the newly developed Department's Guidelines for Wind and Solar Energy Development (Guidelines). The Commission approved guidelines for Wind Development in 2010. This new document updates the wind development guidance and adds solar development to the document. These Guidelines provide information to help reduce impacts to fish and wildlife utility-scale solar and wind energy development in Wyoming.

Fiscal Impact to the Department:

N/A

Recommendation:

The Department recommends the Commission **vote to approve the Guidelines for Wind and Solar Energy Development.**

Attachments:

- 1) Wyoming Game and Fish Department Guidelines for Wind and Solar Energy Development
- 2) PowerPoint Presentation