

Bear-Human Interaction Monitoring Report

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Acronyms and Abbreviations

Acronym	Definition
CDFW	California Department of Fish and Wildlife
FERC	Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
GPS	Global Positioning System
SMUD	Sacramento Municipal Utility District
SWRCB	State Water Resources Control Board
UARP	Upper American River Project
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
USFS	U.S. Forest Service
USFWS	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

1.0 INTRODUCTION AND BACKGROUND

This Bear-Human Interaction Monitoring Report addresses monitoring set forth in Condition Number 31 of Appendix B (USDA Forest Service section 4(e) conditions of the new license issuance order (Federal Energy Regulatory Commission [FERC] 2014) for the Upper American River Project (UARP; FERC Project 2101), owned and operated by the Sacramento Municipal Utility District (SMUD).

The UARP lies within El Dorado and Sacramento counties, primarily within lands of the Eldorado National Forest. The UARP consists of three major storage reservoirs: Loon Lake, Union Valley, and Ice House (with a combined capacity of approximately 379,000 acre-feet), eight smaller regulating or diversion reservoirs, and eight powerhouses. The UARP also includes recreation facilities containing over 700 campsites, five boat ramps, hiking paths, and bicycle trails at the reservoirs.

In consultation with stakeholders and the resource agencies, SMUD developed a plan to monitor bear-human interactions (SMUD 2015). The monitoring described by this plan will be used to determine if the measures (primarily installation of bear-proof food and trash receptacles and public education) implemented by the resource agencies are successful in decreasing the number of bear incidents in the UARP. Additionally, the monitoring will help inform resource managers where there are still problems that may need to be addressed with additional bear management measures. Results of bear-human interaction monitoring conducted during the recreation season of 2017 are provided in this report.

2.0 MONITORING PLAN OBJECTIVES

The primary objectives and rationale for the bear management monitoring program, as described in Condition No. 31 – Monitoring Program of the USFS' 4(e) conditions, are:

Monitor effectiveness of measures related to bear management using a method acceptable to FS, FWS, and CDFG.

This monitoring will help determine if bear management measures used to keep bear populations away from recreation sites within the UARP are effective. As described in Settlement Agreement Article 1-6.10;

If, over a 5-year period, monitoring indicates that the number of bear/human interaction incidents does not decline or decrease in severity, the licensee shall work with FS, FWS, and CDFG to identify and implement additional measures necessary to reduce such problems.

Additionally, the results of this monitoring may be useful to SMUD and the USFS when planning and prioritizing locations to install bear-proof food lockers.

3.0 STUDY AREA AND SAMPLING LOCATIONS

As was done in 2017, monitoring was carried out at developed, UARP-related recreation facilities within the Project area (Figure 1 and Table 1). This included both day-use and overnight facilities; hosted and unhosted.

Table 1. Sites associated with the UARP bear-human interaction monitoring program

Facility	Existing Lockers/ Trash	Hosted Site	Monitored	Comment
Northshore RV CG	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Loon Lake Family CG; Boat Launch RV CG; Equestrian CG; Group CG; and Equestrian Group CG	Y	Y	Y	Host administering multiple LL facilities was responsible for collecting forms
Red Fir CG	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Pleasant Boat In CG	N	N	N	Monitoring Box not deployed here
Airport Flat CG	Y	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Gerle Creek CG	Y	Y	Y	
Sunset Family CG	N	Y	Y	
Fashoda CG	Y	Y	Y	
West Point CG	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Yellowjacket CG	N	Y	Y	
Wench Family and Group CG	N	Y	Y	
Wolf Creek Family and Group CG	Y	Y	Y	
Azalea Cove CG	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Big Silver Group CG	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Camino Cove CG	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Jones Fork CG	Y	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Lone Rock CG	Y	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Ice House Family CG	N	Y	Y	
Northwind CG	N	N	Y	Monitoring form

				box installed
Strawberry Point CG	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Angel Creek	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed
Gerle Creek	N	Y	Y	Host supplied with forms
Ice House	N	Y	Y	Host supplied with forms
Fashoda	N	Y	Y	Host supplied with forms
Jones Fork	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed at CG
Big Silver	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed at CG
Wench Creek	Y	Y	Y	CG Host supplied with forms
Loon Lake – Desolation Wilderness	N	N	Y	Monitoring form box installed at TH

4.0 METHODS

At the close of the 2016 recreation season, USFS staff removed most of the bear-monitoring form boxes that were installed earlier that season in order to protect them from the weather. Prior to the start of the 2017 recreation season (Memorial Day weekend) SMUD and the USFS coordinated the redeployment of the boxes and forms at unhosted sites (See Attachment 1 for sample form). Signs were also provided to the USFS in 2016 for installation at the monitoring sites (see Attachment 2). On May 10, 2017 the USFS hosted a recreation season kickoff meeting with its recreation concessionaire American Land and Leisure (AL&L). At this meeting, SMUD staff discussed the bear monitoring program and asked for the help of AL&L staff at hosted campgrounds to distribute forms and collect information from campers. In addition, California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) staff attended the meeting and discussed bear awareness and urged USFS and AL&L staff to continue to educate recreationists on bear safety and enforce food storage rules. CDFW also supplied a number of “Keep Me Wild” posters to put up at the campgrounds and SMUD supplied more monitoring forms to AL&L. SMUD also hosted a meeting with the USFS and CDFW on May 18, 2017 to discuss strategies for educating the public. At that meeting the CDFW distributed additional posters and brochures to SMUD and the USFS.

SMUD staff made several follow-up visits to a subset of the locations to check-in with camp hosts to see if more forms were needed and whether bears encounters were being recorded. A sample of unhosted sites was also checked for forms. The sites that

were checked all had forms but only two completed forms were collected from the boxes. Following the conclusion of the recreation season in early October, SMUD contacted the USFS to ask for assistance in collecting the completed forms from camp hosts and unhosted sites. The completed forms were collected by USFS staff and provided to SMUD. SMUD was not able to interview campground hosts as was recommended in the 2016 report. The results of monitoring are presented below in Section 5.

5.0 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

SMUD received 43 completed forms from the USFS for the 2017 recreation season (Attachment 3), the results of which are summarized in a table located in Attachment 4. The forms came from 13 different sites. Two of the reported incidents came from sites not associated with the Project (Wrights Lake and Gerle Tract cabins). There were 24 reported incidents from Gerle Creek Campground (some of these were duplicate incidents reported by different people) and the next greatest number from a site was 4 from Northshore Campground. Other sites included Airport Flat (3), Azalea Cove (1), Big Silver (1), Camino Cove (1), Fashoda (1), Wench Creek (1), West Point (1), Wolf Creek (3), and Yellowjacket (3). The earliest reported incident was from 5/18/17 and the last report was from 9/9/2017.

In 2016, eighty percent of the recorded interactions came from Gerle Creek Campground. In 2017, the activity was distributed over a wider area but over half of the reported incidents (56%) were from Gerle. This could be due to increased outreach to campground hosts and the public this year. As more people are aware of the monitoring program, more reports will show up; not necessarily as a result of more bear activity but as a result of more awareness of the need to report incidents that had not been reported in the past. There is an active bear in the vicinity of the Gerle Creek Campground (24 reports) and the types of interactions suggest that the bear is becoming less fearful of humans. This bear is reported to be very large and sometimes does not run off when confronted. This bear has pushed over and ripped open large trash dumpsters; opened a bear food storage locker; and even smashed windows of vehicles to get to food. Some of this damage is substantial, involving damage estimates of up to \$1,500 dollars. A total of 9 reports indicated some type of property damage, with the majority of those coming from the Gerle Creek site.

Twenty reports (38% of the total) indicate that the bear(s) consumed food from a camp (9 reports were uncertain). Of the positive accounts that food was consumed, 6 indicated that the food was in a bear-resistant locker or dumpster and 13 were a result of food stored in a non-resistant container (1 was blank). Of the 40 reports that were at a facility associated with the official monitoring program, 7(17.5%) were from sites lacking food storage lockers (Azalea Campground, Camino Cove Campground, Northshore Campground and West Point Campground), while the majority came from sites with adequate food bear-resistant food storage (82.5%).

Compared to 2016 results, there was an increase in the number of unique sites within the monitoring program (3 in 2016 vs. 13 in 2017) that reported bear interactions and the total number of reports more than doubled (43 vs. 18). The fact that the number went up significantly demonstrates that word is getting out about the program; however there is still room for improvement and incidents are likely being under-reported. During one site visit by SMUD staff, a campground host indicated that there were no reports of bears; however, upon talking with campers in the same campground that day it was clear that there had been bears observed. The camper was unaware of the need to report the incident. This is likely not an isolated incident and there are likely more encounters that are not getting reported. At some sites signage was not displayed prominently and could be easily overlooked.

Based on the monitoring results of 2016 and 2017 and observations made by SMUD, the following recommendations are made:

1. Signage informing visitors of the bear monitoring program need to be placed in highly visible locations within the campgrounds; ideally at multiple locations.
2. SMUD, CDFW and the USFS should meet prior to the beginning of the recreation season to coordinate efforts.
3. SMUD should continue to present information on the monitoring program to the concessionaire's campground hosts during an annual meeting.
4. SMUD or the USFS should check-in on the campground hosts at least once during the season to replenish forms.
5. SMUD and USFS should meet once toward the middle of the recreation season to discuss the need for more forms, cooperation of concessionaire staff, how often boxes are being checked and whether signage is adequate, among other things.
6. At the end of the recreation season, SMUD or USFS should interview the concessionaire's campground hosts to get feedback on the bear incidents that may have occurred and to solicit input on any needed improvements to the monitoring.
7. Because there appears to be one or more problem bears in the Gerle Creek area, CDFW may want to coordinate with the USFS on a strategy to address the problem. At a minimum, enforcement of food storage regulations should be stepped-up at both Gerle Creek and Airport Flat Campgrounds. It may be useful for the agencies to develop a protocol to deal with "problem" bears.

In terms of bear management, SMUD will provide the results of the monitoring to the USFS and CDFW and any management decisions or actions will be at the discretion of those agencies. SMUD will facilitate any management decisions, as appropriate.

6.0 UPCOMING SURVEY PLANS

In accordance with the monitoring plan (SMUD 2015), monitoring will occur annually during the recreation season (approximately Memorial Day through the end of September). For 2018, SMUD will ensure that each site to be monitored, including hosted sites, has adequate signage to educate the public about bears and to inform visitors of the monitoring program. SMUD will attend the annual kick-off meeting with the recreation concessionaire and the USFS to present the details of the monitoring program and enlist the support and assistance of the camp hosts and USFS recreation staff. For the monitoring to be effective it will be imperative to make sure the visiting public knows about the monitoring program and their need to fill out forms following any incidents. It is equally important that all sites have forms available throughout the year and that all forms are collected and returned to SMUD at the close of the season.

7.0 LITERATURE CITED

FERC (Federal Energy Regulatory Commission). 2014. Federal Energy Regulatory Commission Order 148 FERC 62,070 Issuing New License for the Sacramento Municipal Utility District Upper American River Hydroelectric Project No. 2101. Issued July 23, 2014.

SMUD. 2015. Bear-Human Interaction Monitoring Plan. Hydro License Implementation for the Upper American River Project (FERC Project No. 2101).



Attachment 1
Monitoring Form



BEAR ENCOUNTER FORM

Bear Management Monitoring

Crystal Basin Recreation Area



Use a separate form for each individual incident. For example, if the same bear enters two campsites while people are present, a person from each campsite should report the specifics of their encounter. Give completed forms to campground hosts. If your recreation site has no host, forms should be placed in the appropriate receptacle at the site or dropped off at the Crystal Basin Information Station on Ice House Road between Ice House Reservoir and Union Valley Reservoir. Forms also can be dropped off at the Pacific Ranger Station at 7887 Highway 50, Pollock Pines, CA 95726.

1. Person(s) involved:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: _____

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: _____ Day: _____ Year: _____ Time: _____ am/pm

For office use only:

Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
- h. Ice House campground/
boat launch/day use area
- i. Jones Fork campground
- j. Junction Reservoir boat launch
- k. Lone Rock campground
- l. Loon Lake campground/boat ramp
- m. Loon Lake chalet
- n. Northshore campground
- o. Northshore RV campground
- p. Pleasant campground
- q. Red Fir group campground
- r. Strawberry Point campground
- s. Sunset campground/boat launch
- t. Union Valley bike trail
- u. Wench Creek campground
- v. Wench Creek group campground
- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



Attachment 2

Bear Monitoring Sign

ATTENTION

In the event that you have an
Encounter with a Bear
at or near this facility, please fill out a
[Bear-Human Interaction Monitoring Form.](#)

The forms are located in a box near this sign and can be placed back into the box upon completion or dropped off with a Camp Host or USFS personnel.

Your effort will help us better manage our important wildlife resources.

Thank you.





Attachment 3
Completed 2017 Monitoring Forms

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g.** Gerle Creek campground complex
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boat launch/day use area
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.



11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

no visual - just the aftermath





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Stephanie Blaine
Address: PO Box 4797
City: Napa
Zip code: 94558 Phone: 707-237-9227
Country: USA

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 4 - all in tents when bear encounter
(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: Aug Day: 8 Year: 2017 Time: 2:00 am/pm

TOTAL of 3 dumpsters tipped this week. Nita Campbell, host

For office use only:
Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)
Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
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- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

One enormous bear - taller than the bear box on all 4's.

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Asleep in tent

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

Pawing through the ice chest

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Looked at me

12. What did you do then?

Said "Get out of here"

13. How did the bear react to your response?

It left

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

~ 20 feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) cheese, hot dogs, hummus, cooked egg, tasted plain yogurt & left it open sitting up.
 c. Unknown

Bear Did not like the yogurt

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) one tooth mark in ice chest.

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

Please put up signs all around the campground and on the bear boxes instructing to put all food and ice chests in the bear box.

The signs in the campground say just to keep the campsite clean.





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Nita ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: _____

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 8 Day: 12-18 Year: 2017 Time: 3:00 am pm

5 dumpsters tipped
this week Nita Camp bell host

For office use only:

Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
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- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) 1 endemic bear

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

pulling garbage from tipped dumpster

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

blew our horn

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15 yards

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

dumpster
LOCKED

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) garbage
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

Bear pushes dumpster from behind - proceeds to pound the hell out of the split lid. Is able to get one side above the locked bar. Air horn scares it away, but only temporarily.



6. Location of encounter:

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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 bear (black), no cubs, adult, not sure of sex, ~5-ft long.

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

Walking through our campsite sniffing

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.



11. How did the bear react to you?

looked at me and my barking dogs and kept sniffing for food.

12. What did you do then?

I yelled "Go Bear", tried to make loud noise

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Didn't care and it broke into the bear cabinet. Proceeded to eat and pull open

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

~10 feet. When done with bear cabinet food, he/she walked toward our trailer.

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
 - b. Food in bear resistant container
 - c. Food odor only
 - d. Food hung in tree
 - e. No food present
 - f. Unknown
- The dogs barked & I yelled. He ~~stood~~ stared at us for a couple minutes and eventually walked away.

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No b. Yes (what?) chips, popcorn, tortillas, bread,
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

He really didn't seem to care about my yelling. Thank god the dogs were by our trailer.





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: XX
 Address: XX
 City: XX
 Zip code: XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX Phone: XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX
 Country: USA

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: _____
 (number of people who encountered the bear)

The man in camp #8 told us what he saw on both nights. We were in camp 9 & only heard bears on night 2.

5. Time of encounter: Month: July Day: 23rd Year: 2017 Time: 11 am/pm pm

TOTAL of 2 dumpsters tipped this week Nita Campbell host

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Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 - Black - Adult - Large - approx 500-600 lbs

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) No

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

① Got into camp #8: ice chest - ^{the} man shined flashlight - bear ran off

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

② Heard dumpster being knocked over
Bear walked up road to camp #8 - walked into site -
the man was in truck - honked horn - bear ran off



11. How did the bear react to you?

Went to the man in his truck - Bear didn't see him

12. What did you do then?

Then he honked his horn.

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Ran off.

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

Walked in front of truck

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

1st Nite - Ice chest was out. I don't know what he got

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Nathan Fairclark
Address: 17400 2nd St
City: Red Bluff State: CA
Zip code: 95137 Phone: 916 768 8354
Country: USA

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 7
(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: July Day: 20 Year: 2017 Time: 1AM-6AM ~~4pm-5pm~~ am/pm

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Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

UNKNOWN

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

SLEEPING

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

DID NOT SEE THE BEAR

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

THE BEAR GOT UP ONTO THE SIDES OF THE VEHICLES TO INVESTIGATE THE INTERIOR CONTENTS, TOSSED THE TRASH.

12. What did you do then?

CONTINUED SLEEPING

13. How did the bear react to your response?

IGNORED THE TRAILER/TENTS AND LEFT THE CAMPGROUNDS.

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

50 FEET FROM NEAREST TENT

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) TRASH CONTENTS
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

THE BEAR VISITED THE CAMPSITE AT NIGHT WHILE WE SLEPT.

NO DIRECT INTERACTION TOOK PLACE, ONLY EVIDENCE OF THE BEAR CONTACT WAS LATER DETERMINED.





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: CLAYTON T. FOSTER
Address: 10000 Crystal Basin Rd
City: Crystal Lake State: CA
Zip code: 95748
Country: USA

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 2
(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 7 Day: 19 Year: 2017 Time: 5:00 am/pm

TOTAL of 3 dumpsters tipped over
week of 7/18 - 7/21
Nita Campbell, host

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Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 bear, didn't see color, MED SIZE ADULT

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) NO

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

SHARING PELICAN COOLER

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.



11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

SHINED FLASHLIGHT, USED AIR HORN

13. How did the bear react to your response?

RAN AWAY

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

60 ft.

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) NO
c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) NO

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):





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Date: _____



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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: FORESTE, SUSAN M. (MOTHER)
 Address: CAMPBERRY RD 4400 NEWPORT HEIGHTS CA
 City: FOUNTAINE State: CA
 Zip code: 95763 Phone: 787-864-8411
 Country: USA

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 3
 (number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 7 Day: 24 Year: 2017 Time: 1:30 am/pm

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 ~~black~~ bear (unk) →

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) NO

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

heard
knocking over pots & pans

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Nothing

12. What did you do then?

Nothing

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Nothing

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

3-30 ft ~~at least~~

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?)
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs)

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

we were sleeping & heard pots & pans falling, ^{Bear} tried to get in to a cooler (w/ no food) unsuccessfully. Then left. ^{Melanie} I was sleeping in a car. Heard him bump in to the car when coming & going.





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Date: _____



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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other R/dump station

4. Group size: _____

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: ^{mess found} Month: 7 Day: 9 Year: 2017 Time: 8:45 (am/pm)

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

NONE SEEN

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) NO

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

NONE SIGHTED

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

Garbage can at Yellow Jacket dump station was overturned / trash on driveway



6. Location of encounter:

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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 bear, dark in color, adult,

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

Going through the cooler

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

The bear ran, It stop to see what I was

12. What did you do then?

Made some noise to encourage the bear to go.

13. How did the bear react to your response?

The bear ran

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

About 25ft when i first open the tent, then moved off.

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) Butter & Bread
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 large adult black bear

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

going into my cooler

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.



11. How did the bear react to you?

wandered off when light was shown on him

12. What did you do then?

got out of tent and put cooler in car

13. How did the bear react to your response?

The bear had left the site

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

50-60 ft

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) cheese and cream
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

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- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 bear, Large brown

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

Looking for food near the Food Box

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

it ran off when we made some noise

12. What did you do then?

nothing made noise

13. How did the bear react to your response?

ran

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

8 feet, just under the end of our tent trailer.

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) NO
c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) NO

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):





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1. Person(s) involved: Nita Campbell
 Name: Nita Campbell
 Address: 7740 Auburn Woods Dr
 City: Grass Valley
 Zip code: 95944 Phone: 916 769 1268
 Country: USA

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 1 & 3 IN TENT

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 7 Day: 13 Year: 17 Time: 3:30 am/pm

Total of 4 dumpsters tipped over on this date. Nita Campbell - host

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Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

SLEEPING

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

TRYING TO GET INTO ONE OF MY COOLERS
AFTER IT HAD DRAGGED IT OFF AWAY. I HAD IT

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife. STRAPPED

FOR THIS REASON
CLOSED

11. How did the bear react to you?

STARTS AT ME AND THEN LEFT

12. What did you do then?

HELD MY GROUND UNTIL I WAS SURE IT LEFT AND
THEN GOT MY COOLER

13. How did the bear react to your response?

NON THREATENING

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

75-100 FEET

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

* CHOCOLATE & MASHMALLOW
IN COOLER THAT
HE TOOK. ALSO
BEER/WATER & JUIE BOXES
IT LEFT THE FOOD COOLER
ALONG.

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) COOLER \$40

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Blair Smith
Address: 1400 1st St
City: Redding State: CA
Zip code: 96001 Phone: 925-225-1111
Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 15
(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 7 Day: 2 Year: 1997 Time: 9:50 am/pm

For office use only:

Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

ONE, BLACK MEDIUM

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) NO

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

SITTING IN SIDE TRAILER

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

WALKING AWAY BLACK BAG w/ BOTTLES

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

ROAR IT LEFT MY TRAILER

12. What did you do then?

LOCATED BEAR w/ FLASHLIGHT

13. How did the bear react to your response?

USED FOG HORN TO SCARE AWAY

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

100 FT.

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

*In trash
dumpster*

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No b. Yes (what?) _____ ?
- c. Unknown _____

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) no

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 Large

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

Smashing my car window

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Neighbor chased bear off. Did not really react

12. What did you do then?

Went back to sleep

13. How did the bear react to your response?

left and went to go tip over dumpsters

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

100

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
 - b. Food in bear resistant container
 - c. Food odor only
 - d. Food hung in tree
 - e. No food present
 - f. Unknown
- 1 lone bread roll in bag in car

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No b. Yes (what?) Bread roll
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) driver side car window

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1, Dark Brown, big (twice the size of Sam's bear)

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sitting by fire

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

He tipped over large (5yd?) trash can and was eating trash.

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11. How did the bear react to you?

At first he just looked and went back to eating.

12. What did you do then?

Grabbed pots & pans, banged them, and ran at him (5 steps toward) to scare off.

13. How did the bear react to your response?

He ran away.

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

60 ft. (side of edge to trash can location)

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
 - b. Food in bear resistant container
 - c. Food odor only
 - d. Food hung in tree
 - e. No food present
 - f. Unknown
- but not properly secured.*

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) Food scraps from trash.
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

→ He then came back ~ 20 min later, about 30' in a circle eating trash that was hung from BBQ unsecured.

A medium size bear



6. Location of encounter:

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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

one black with tan snout @ 500-600 lbs

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

using restroom

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

walking towards dumpster

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Scared

12. What did you do then?

turned on vehicle alarm flashed lights

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Ran

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15-20 feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) knocked over dumpster

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

- a. No
- b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

DRINKING BEER BY THE CAMPFIRE

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

GOING THROUGH ANOTHER CAMPS ICECHEST

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11. How did the bear react to you?

IT RAN

12. What did you do then?

WATCH

13. How did the bear react to your response?

IT RAN

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

40

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

unknown

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

sleeping in RV

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

(did not see it) heard it tip over dumpster

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

N/A

12. What did you do then?

N/A

13. How did the bear react to your response?

N/A

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

N/A

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) _____
 c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

none



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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

ONE BEAR, BROWN, BIG BEAR, ADULT.

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

running

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

ran away

12. What did you do then?

nothing

13. How did the bear react to your response?

ran away

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

2 feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) 1 lb bag

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

HEARD LOTS OF NOISE, LOOKED OUTSIDE & SAW A BEAR RUNNING AWAY. & YELLED "BEAR"





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Incident Report
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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: RYAN STALS
 Address: 1120 47th Ave
 City: S.F. State: CA
 Zip code: 94116 Phone: 415 810 5188
 Country: USA

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: multiple camps
 (number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 6 Day: 24 Year: 2017 Time: 10:15 am/pm
12:32 - car

For office use only:

Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1st 1 @ 10:30pm 2nd 1 maybe 2 @ 12:32pm
↳ adult running

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

1st walking to tent - ran behind me 2nd sleeping in tent

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

1st running 2nd Breaking into car

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.



11. How did the bear react to you? 1st ran past 2nd ran off after banging pots & pans

12. What did you do then?

1st went back into tent 2nd assessed damage of car

13. How did the bear react to your response?

1st kept running 2nd ran away after banging pots & pans

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

1st 6-8 feet ran behind me 2nd 10 yards

15. Was human food present?

a. Food not in bear resistant container d. Food hung in tree
b. Food in bear resistant container e. No food present
c. Food odor only f. Unknown
in car → windows cracked

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) _____
c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) damaged 3 windows on car \$1500

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

1st encounter - bear was running past after other campers had scared it away from trash bin. 1 shattered, 1 cracked, 1 pushed down & broken
2nd encounter - bears breaking into car. eventually running off after making noise. 3 windows damaged





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Bob S. Clark
Address: 1411 1st St
City: Pollock Pines State: CA
Zip code: 95726 Phone: 530 888 2111
Country: USA

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 1

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 6 Day: 10 Year: 2017 Time: 7:00 am/pm

For office use only:

Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

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- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex #39
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1; brown; ~ 2.5-3ft @ shoulder; adult; sex unknown

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

reading & drinking coffee

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

meandering from another campsite

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

I said "Hello" & it meandered down to the creek & up the other side

12. What did you do then?

Just watched

13. How did the bear react to your response?

It looked at me, ~~but~~ & walked away

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

about 30 feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) _____
 c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

The bear was in a neighboring site where the campers were yelling. I turned around to see the bear calmly walking. It stopped about 30' away. I said "Hello". It turned, walked down the bank, across the creek, & up the other side out of site.





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: multiple Camp Sites 7-14 multiple persons

Address: Gerle Creek Camp Grounds

City: _____ State: _____

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: El Dorado

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 30

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 6 Day: 24 Year: 17 Time: 22:00 am pm

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Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
- h. Ice House campground/
boat launch/day use area
- i. Jones Fork campground
- j. Junction Reservoir boat launch
- k. Lone Rock campground
- l. Loon Lake campground/boat ramp
- m. Loon Lake chalet
- n. Northshore campground
- o. Northshore RV campground
- p. Pleasant campground
- q. Red Fir group campground
- r. Strawberry Point campground
- s. Sunset campground/boat launch
- t. Union Valley bike trail
- u. Wench Creek campground
- v. Wench Creek group campground
- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 Bear, adult, Rest unknown

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Camp fire, noise of Dumpster Turn OVER

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

wandering through Campgrounds

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

indifferent

12. What did you do then?

ignored him, went back to Campfire

13. How did the bear react to your response?

unknown unknown

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

30-50 feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) overtured Dumpster

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

we all knew bear was in AREA only one person actually saw the bear and as far as we know bear was not aggressive towards people, but we stayed near camp fire and did not make any effort to interact with animal or chase him AWAY!





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Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Son & Nita Campbell
 Address: 2680 Lopez Ranch Dr
 City: Washington State: WV
 Zip code: 26041 Phone: 715-230-5318
 Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host - Grate Creek
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 2
 (number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 5 Day: 18 Year: 2017 Time: 5:00 am/pm pm

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
- h. Ice House campground/
boat launch/day use area
- i. Jones Fork campground
- j. Junction Reservoir boat launch
- k. Lone Rock campground
- l. Loon Lake campground/boat ramp
- m. Loon Lake chalet
- n. Northshore campground
- o. Northshore RV campground
- p. Pleasant campground
- q. Red Fir group campground
- r. Strawberry Point campground
- s. Sunset campground/boat launch
- t. Union Valley bike trail
- u. Wench Creek campground
- v. Wench Creek group campground
- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other Ice House Rd - 2 miles
before entrance to
Loon Lake

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

One - EXTRA LARGE - dark brown - adult

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) NO

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

driving

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

crossing the road

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

ran back into trees

12. What did you do then?

slowed down - kept driving

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

50 yards

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
- h. Ice House campground/
boat launch/day use area
- i. Jones Fork campground
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- n. Northshore campground
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- p. Pleasant campground
- q. Red Fir group campground
- r. Strawberry Point campground
- s. Sunset campground/boat launch
- t. Union Valley bike trail
- u. Wench Creek campground site 60
- v. Wench Creek group campground
- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

Didn't see the bear

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping - heard rustling

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

We didn't see the bear. Just paw prints on our

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Cooler where it stole muffins/cinnamon rolls
- our clips on cooler were already broken so
it was our fault for leaving the
cooler out overnight. we put it in our
truck.



11. How did the bear react to you?

ran off when we made noise from inside our
popup trailer

12. What did you do then?

Came outside to see area/campsite

13. How did the bear react to your response?

was gone.

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

Cooler the bear broke into was under our camper.

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No b. Yes (what?) muffins (blueberry)
- c. Unknown Cinnamon rolls

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

NONE



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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: James & Krusti (Newly Engaged on 7/31/17)

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping—developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 2

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 7 Day: 31 Year: 17 Time: 10 PM am/pm

Near Northshore
North Shore

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
- h. Ice House campground/
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- v. Wench Creek group campground
- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

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11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

_____ ? _____

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

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11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

*candy 1-0
Glove POT*

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) candy
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) Broke into my truck

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: _____

Address: BARBERS

City: _____ State: _____

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 15 / 10

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: Fathers Day Day: _____ Year: _____ Time: morning 4-6 AM am/pm

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Report collected by: Peggy Westphal (USFS/camp host)

Date: 6-19-17 MON. REC 53

AIRPORT FLAT CG

This was right next door up to last
CAMP site not sure name

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
- h. Ice House campground/
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- m. Loon Lake chalet
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- o. Northshore RV campground
- p. Pleasant campground
- q. Red Fir group campground
- r. Strawberry Point campground
- s. Sunset campground/boat launch
- t. Union Valley bike trail
- u. Wench Creek campground
- v. Wench Creek group campground
- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other Gerle Cr. Dispensed area
S. OF AFCG

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

2 Bear 1 Black 1 Brown

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) No

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping woke up to pee

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

eating one Dry food in tubs

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Scared grab food and left

12. What did you do then?

Stayed quiet ~~was~~ went back to bed

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Never came back I think

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

12 feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

Food tubs w/ lids

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) cookies muffins ect.
All Dry food crackers smore stuff
Bowl chicken salad from cooler
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) NO

cooler

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

My Daughter had to pee so told her to get out + pee near car door In a suburban. She went and The bear grab tub of chicken salad and ran away





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Date: _____



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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: _____

Address: taken on behalf of

City: VISITOR State: _____

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: _____

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 9 Day: 9 Year: 2017 Time: 10 am/pm Ⓟ

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6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
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- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

One, adult, very large

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Camping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

at the dumpster

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

ignored mostly

12. What did you do then?

ignored him

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Scurried off

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

30-40 ft

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) But probably
 c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) one dumpster

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

Bear was about to push over dumpster when visitor saw him. Later in the night he came back and pushed open and ripped open the top of the dumpster. Can't tell if bear clip was used from the photo but it looks like it was. He/she pulled open the top of the dumpster lid after the dumpster was turned over.



6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
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- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 bear, 400 pounds+, adult (large), brown, gender unknown

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

biting water container

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

It ran after we banged our pots and pans

12. What did you do then?

Kept banging pots & pans

13. How did the bear react to your response?

It went to other campsite

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

bit our water^{only} container 6 ft from our bodies

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) _____
c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) \$1,030

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

The bear first bit out water only container. Next, knocked over an empty cooler and bit many holes in it. Then, jumped onto car ~~leaving~~ leaving \$1,000 worth of scratches also a print of its body and hands.



6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
- e. Camino Cove campground
- f. Fashoda campground
- g. Gerle Creek campground complex
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- v. Wench Creek group campground
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- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch

Other Wrights Lake between Twin Lake Trailhead and cabin owners road.

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 bear, blonde/brown, medium, possibly juvenile to adult?

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

hugging a tree and sniffing

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

driving from Trailhead

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

got scared and headed into the woods by cabins

12. What did you do then?

drove away!

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

50-100ft

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) most likely not
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) unknown

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Meg + Mike

Address: _____

City: Berkeley State: CA

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 2

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 8 Day: 9 Year: 2017 Time: 9:30 am/pm pm

For office use only:

Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
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- e. Camino Cove campground
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boat launch/day use area
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- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 dark med-sized

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) *No*

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

See below

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15. Was human food present?

see below

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?)
- c. Unknown

Assume so - carried off a large bag with apples, almond butter, canned salmon, oatmeal, chocolate, beans etc.

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

We had closed up all our food in coolers and zippered bags in preparation for putting it all away in the car. We were in the tent getting our toddler to bed when we heard the sound of what turned out to be a bear dragging away a large zippered canvas bag of food. Saw a bear disappear over the edge of rocks toward the water. We moved the rest of the food to the car + didn't hear/see it again.



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- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

one, brown, adult, full grown - 400+ lbs.?

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Asleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

disturbing articles on the camp table.

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11. How did the bear react to you?

stayed by the table, seemingly unconcerned.

12. What did you do then?

Yelled at the bear, shined flashlight in its eyes.

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Amble away, stopped approx. 150 ft away - looked back - paused awhile - 30 seconds? Then

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

(+ -) 50 feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
 - b. Food in bear resistant container
 - c. Food odor only
 - d. Food hung in tree
 - e. No food present
 - f. Unknown
- non dairy creamer.*

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) powdered creamer
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Filled out for visitor met @ West Pt.

Address: No Bear Encounter forms on site

City: _____ State: _____

Zip code: _____ Phone: _____

Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 1

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 08 Day: 9/10 Year: 17 Time: 3:00 am/pm

For office use only:

Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

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6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
- d. Big Silver group campground
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- y. Wolf Creek group campground
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 Bear, ~ 3' tall

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

taking food out of cooler

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Took food & left, seemed scared.

12. What did you do then?

checked cooler for damage & missing food.

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Left the campsite

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

~ 20'

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) Liver & cookies
 c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

Bear returned the next night but did not find any food in our camp. We had put it all in bear locker this time.





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1. Person(s) involved:

Name: Filled out for visitor who was
Address: camping next to the camper
City: w/ Bear encounter. Reported to Crystal Info. State: _____
Zip code: _____ Phone: _____
Country: _____

2. Describe yourself:

- a. Visitor
- b. Camp host
- c. USFS employee
- d. Contractor
- e. Other _____

3. Visitor activity:

- a. Camping – developed campground
- b. Camping – undeveloped campsite/wilderness
- c. Day use area
- d. Hiking on maintained trail
- e. Other _____

4. Group size: 1

(number of people who encountered the bear)

5. Time of encounter: Month: 8 Day: 14 Year: 17 Time: 2:00 am/pm

For office use only:

Report collected by: _____ (USFS/camp host)

Date: _____

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6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
- b. Angel Creek day use area
- c. Azalea Cove campground
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- e. Camino Cove campground
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- t. Union Valley bike trail
- u. Wench Creek campground
- v. Wench Creek group campground
- w. West Point campground/boat launch
- x. Wolf Creek campground
- y. Wolf Creek group campground *site #7 (?)*
- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

one - Assumed Adult

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) No

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

Going under trailer to get bag of food and/or trash

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Visitor did nothing to ~~scare~~ scare off the bear.

12. What did you do then?

she let it get what it ~~wanted~~ wanted so it would leave.

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

right to trailer - few feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) yes. Beans (canned)
c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) NO.

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

Bear tore open a can of unopened beans and then scooted under the teardrop trailer to get to bag of food/trash the camper left. Bear scat w/Bean can label was found in campgrounds the next morning.



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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

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8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) NO

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

We were sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

bumped the sleeper / tent

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

woke up

13. How did the bear react to your response?

walked away

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

touched the sleeper (tent)

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

but campsites next to had food out!

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

Momma bear and 3 cubs

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) _____
c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



6. Location of encounter:

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- z. Yellowjacket campground/boat launch
- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

2 Brown Adult and Cub

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) NO

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Sleeping

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

getting in to Ice Chest and food Containers

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Just looked at us / slowly walked away

12. What did you do then?

yelled and made noise

13. How did the bear react to your response?

Slowly walked away

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

25 yards

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

a. No b. Yes (what?) Yes BACON Eggs Butter Salami Hot links ect.
c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

a. No b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) yes \$200-

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

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6. Location of encounter:

- a. Airport Flat campground
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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

ONE, not sure of size, sounded big

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

sitting by lake, heard bear rummage through our site in the dark,

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

LOOKING FOR FOOD, probably

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Threw our cooler about 25ft, then left

12. What did you do then?

WAITED til it left.

13. How did the bear react to your response?

it left eventually

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

50 YARDS?

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

WE WERE sitting by lake at night, just cleaned up dishes from dinner. Heard the bear knock our stove off of our cooler, then throw our cooler about 25ft. across the campsite. TWICE! WE WERE just about to put all food & coolers in the car for the night when he struck. We have a yeti cooler, bear resistant. It did not open, but took a few good hits. Totally freaky!



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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

Small Black or Brown

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

Campers in #13 told me about it. I did not see it

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

EATING Garbage from Dumpster. Nothing else noticed

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

Apparently ran away

12. What did you do then?

13. How did the bear react to your response?

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

Campers got within 10 feet - apparently

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

Dumpster was not secured. No Hasp is present on Dumpster

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) garbage
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) No

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):

Shoo away



6. Location of encounter:

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- Other _____

7. Number and description of bears (how many, what color, size, adult or cub, sex?):

1 baby black bear & 1 momma blk bear

8. Did the bear(s) harm anyone?

a. No b. Yes* (describe) _____

9. What were you doing before you saw the bear?

fire pit w/ smores

10. What was the bear doing when you first saw it?

walking thru camp site

* If there was a physical encounter with the bear or a bear was harmed in the incident, please report to the USFS Ranger and California Department of Fish and Wildlife.

11. How did the bear react to you?

We hid on other side of Jeep

12. What did you do then?

Froze. - stay still and quiet

13. How did the bear react to your response?

calm

14. How close did you come to the bear (how many feet)?

2 feet

15. Was human food present?

- a. Food not in bear resistant container
- b. Food in bear resistant container
- c. Food odor only
- d. Food hung in tree
- e. No food present
- f. Unknown

16. Did the bear eat any human food?

- a. No
- b. Yes (what?) _____
- c. Unknown

17. Did the bear damage property?

- a. No
- b. Yes (list property and estimate costs) _____

18. Details of bear-human interaction (optional):



Attachment 4

Table Summarizing 2017 Results

Bear Encounter Form - Bear Management Monitoring, Crystal Basin Recreation Area - UARP, Eldorado National Forest

2017 Results Summary - Compiled by Ethan Koenigs, SMUD

1. Name	2. Description	3. Visitor Activity	4. Group Size	5. Date/Time of Encounter	6. Location	7. Number / description of bear(s)	8-14 - Description of interaction w/ bear	15. Food Present	16. Consumption by Bear	17. Property Damage	Comments
Kendra Turnbough	Visitor	Camping - developed	2	6/21/2017	Airport Flat	2 - adult and cub	Bear walking through camp	Yes - in resistant container	No	No	
Barkers	Visitor	Camping - undeveloped	15	6/18/2017	Airport Flat	2 - 1 black, 1 brown	Bear eating food at camp	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear consumed cookies, crackers, muffins, smore stuff, chicken salad
Zachary Riggs	Visitor	Camping - developed	8	7/17/2017	Big Silver	1 large adult black	Bear attempting to get into cooler	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear ate cheese and cream
Bren Smith	Host	Other	15	7/2/2017	Fashoda	1 medium size	Bear at camp trailer	Food odor only	Unknown	No	Bear ran off when confronted with fog horn
Adam Lane	Visitor	Camping - developed	8	6/10/2017	Gerle Creek	1	Bear raiding an ice chest	Food odor only	No	No	
Dave Callagy	Visitor	Camping - developed	2	7/13/2017	Gerle Creek	1 large adult	Bear looking for food near bear box	Food odor only	No	No	Bear ran off when camper made noise
Rob Scharf	Visitor	Camping - developed	1	6/10/2017	Gerle Creek	1 Adult, brown	Bear walking through camp	No	No	No	Bear walked to creek
Angel Rodriguez	Visitor	Camping - developed	5	6/10/2017	Gerle Creek	1 adult large brown	Bear running through camp	No	No	No	
Multiple	Visitor	Camping - developed	30	6/24/2017	Gerle Creek	1 adult	walking through camp	No	Unknown	No	Bear tipped over and ripped open dumpster
Jerry Evans	Visitor	Camping - developed	1	6/10/2017	Gerle Creek			Unknown	Unknown	No	Only heard bear knock over dumpster
Clarence Vick	Visitor	Camping - developed	2	7/19/2017	Gerle Creek	1 adult	Bear attempting to get into cooler	Yes - in resistant container	No	No	Bear ran off when air horn was used
Carole Scales	Visitor	Camping - developed	3	7/21/2017	Gerle Creek	1 adult	Bear in camp - attempting to get in cooler	Yes - in resistant container	No	No	Bear trying to get into cooler
Bryan Burd	Visitor	Camping - developed	18	6/24/2017	Gerle Creek	1 large adult	Bear Eating trash	Yes - in resistant container	Yes	No	Bear came back a couple of times
Christie Rebolcaba	Visitor	Camping - developed	4	8/7/2017	Gerle Creek	1 large adult	Bear in camp/ broke into bear resistant cabinet	Yes - in resistant container	Yes	No	Bear apparently opened bear locker and ate chips , popcorn, tortillas and bread - only ran off when dogs barked
Damon Hancock	Visitor	Camping - developed	7	7/20/2017	Gerle Creek		Bear got into trash in camp	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear ate food in trash bag
Stephanie Blazina	Visitor	Camping - developed	4	8/8/2017	Gerle Creek	1 large adult	Bear got into cooler	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear ate cheese, hot dogs, hummus, eggs
Ron Pimentel	Visitor	Camping - developed		7/23 - 7/24/2017	Gerle Creek	1 large adult			Unknown	no	Bear cot into cooler 1 night and knocked over dumpster 2nd night. Bear ran off when confronted
Nita Campbell	Host	Other	2	8/12/2017	Gerle Creek	1 large adult	Bear tipped over 3 dumpsters	Yes - in resistant container	Yes	No	Bear is able to open large locked dumpsters.
Ron Campbell	Host	Other	2	5/18/2017	Ice House Road	1 large dark brown	crossing road	N/A	N/A	No	Crossed road 2 miles from Loon Lake
David Freitag	Visitor	Camping	2	7/24/2017	Northshore	1	Bear raiding camp	Yes - in resistant container	No	No	Bear came into camp and tried to get food from a cooler
Robin Kurth	Visitor	Camping - undeveloped	2	7/24/2017	Northshore	1 - small dark	Bear raiding dumpster	Yes - in resistant container	Yes	No	Dumpster was not bear proof - missing hardware
Meg and Mike	Visitor	Camping - undeveloped	2	8/8/2017	Northshore	- dark - medium size	Bear took food from camp	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear came into camp quickly and dragged off a large bag of food
Tami Kearney	Visitor	Camping - developed	4	6/17/2017	Wench Creek		Bear raiding cooler	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Didn't see bear; left food unsecured
No Name	Visitor	Camping - developed	1	8/9/2017	West Point	1	Bear taking food in camp	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear came 2 nights - second night all food was secure
Jacob Shurtleff	Visitor	Camping - developed	1	7/12/2017	Wolf Creek	1 dark brown adult	Bear going through cooler	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear ate butter and bread and ran off when camper made noise
No Name	Visitor	Camping - developed	1	8/14/2017	Wolf Creek	1	Bear taking food in camp	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear consumed trash and can of beans
Sherry Leonesio	Visitor	Camping - developed	2	7/29/2017	Wrights Lake	blonde/brown - juvenile	Observed bear in woods	No	No	No	
Sheryl Lawson	Visitor	Camping - developed	2	7/21/2017	Yellowjacket	1	Bear walking through camp	Yes - in resistant container	No	No	Camper observed food out in neighbor's camp
Karl Winneker	Visitor	Camping - developed	1	8/16/2017	Yellowjacket	1 - large adult brown	Bear in camp	Yes - no container	Yes	No	Bear ate non-dairy creamer

