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Thank you for allowing public comments on the subject of the Administrative Rules. I have become an advocate for discontinuing the use of lead ammunition in killing any type of wildlife. The reason is that most hunters leave carcasses of dead animals for scavengers to eat. Unfortunately, across the nation, including Idaho, the use of lead ammunition is killing off the bald eagles that live year round here or migrate through our state in the winter months. Golden eagles and Bald Eagles are still protected birds under federal law; however, both species are dying because of lead ammunition.

Therefore, I would propose that in IDAPA 02, TITLE 01 CHAPTER 03:
02.01.03 – IDAHO DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AIRBORNE CONTROL OF UNPROTECTED OR PREDATORY ANIMALS RULES that a provision be added that any shooting/killing of predatory animals from the air must use non-lead ammunition.

Additionally, under 02.04.17 – RULES GOVERNING DEAD ANIMAL MOVEMENT AND DISPOSAL, I would like to see a provision about mandatory removal of any dead animal that was shot with lead ammunition. I am uncertain whether this Rule is the appropriate place for such a provision, but in order to save the lives of birds that eat carrion, we must do something. Simply a rules that states if a person/hunter shoots an animal using any type of lead ammunition, they must bag and remove the entire carcass after killing the animal and dispose of it in the appropriate manner as described in this Rule.

Thank you.
Cordially,
Janet Adams

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