

## **IDAHO SPORTSMEN'S CAUCUS ADVISORY COUNCIL**

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### ***ISCAC Position Memo on Idaho Department of Fish and Game to Regulate ORV Use as it Pertains to Hunting and Wildlife Management***

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The Idaho Sportsman's Caucus Advisory Council (ISCAC) supports the ability of the Idaho Department of Fish and Game (IDFG) to manage fish and wildlife in a sustainable manner. In order for IDFG to manage big game species in today's world they must manage wildlife vulnerability, hunter access and the use of motorized vehicles during hunting. With the increased use of Off Road Vehicles (ORV) on public lands in Idaho, the IDFG has regulated their use only as it directly relates to hunting and wildlife management. These motor vehicle use restrictions are designed to manage wildlife vulnerability and harvest, minimize conflicts and sustain hunter opportunity.

The ISCAC supports the ability of IDFG to regulate ORV use as it pertains only to hunting and wildlife management (as now allowed per page 70 of the 2010 Idaho Big Game regulations). ISCAC does not support legislation and/or rules that would inhibit that ability.

***Again, ISCAC supports the ability of IDFG to regulate ORV use as it pertains only to hunting and wildlife management***

