



Yellowstone Ecosystem  
Information, Education and Outreach Subcommittee  
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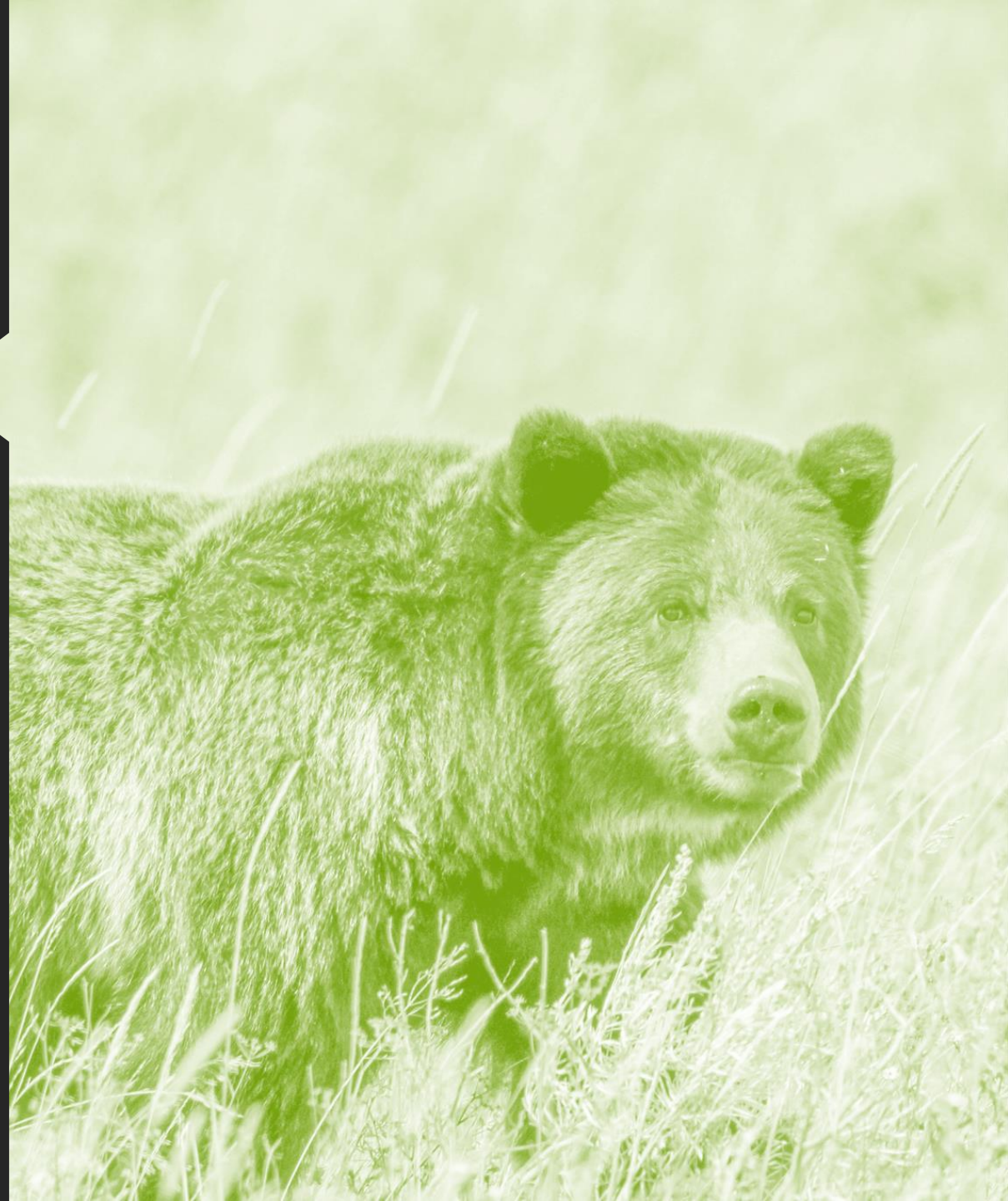


**IGBC IE&O Subcommittee**

# Summer Executive Meeting: Bear safety messages adopted

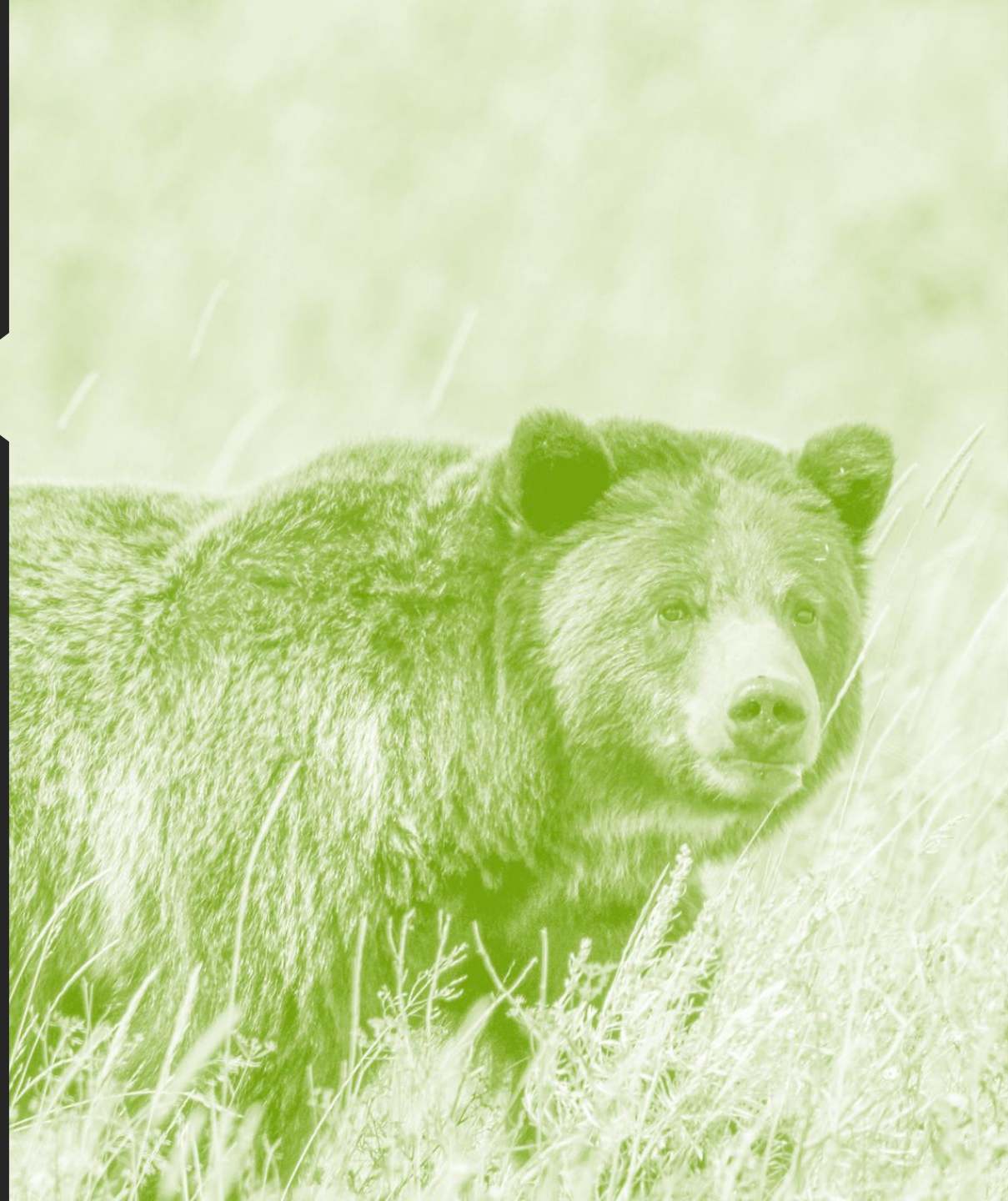
## UNIVERSAL MESSAGES:

- 1. Bears can be anywhere (assume their presence).
- 2. Keep food and other attractants away from bears.
- 3. Be prepared to handle bear encounters.
- 4. Preventing a conflict is easier than resolving a conflict.



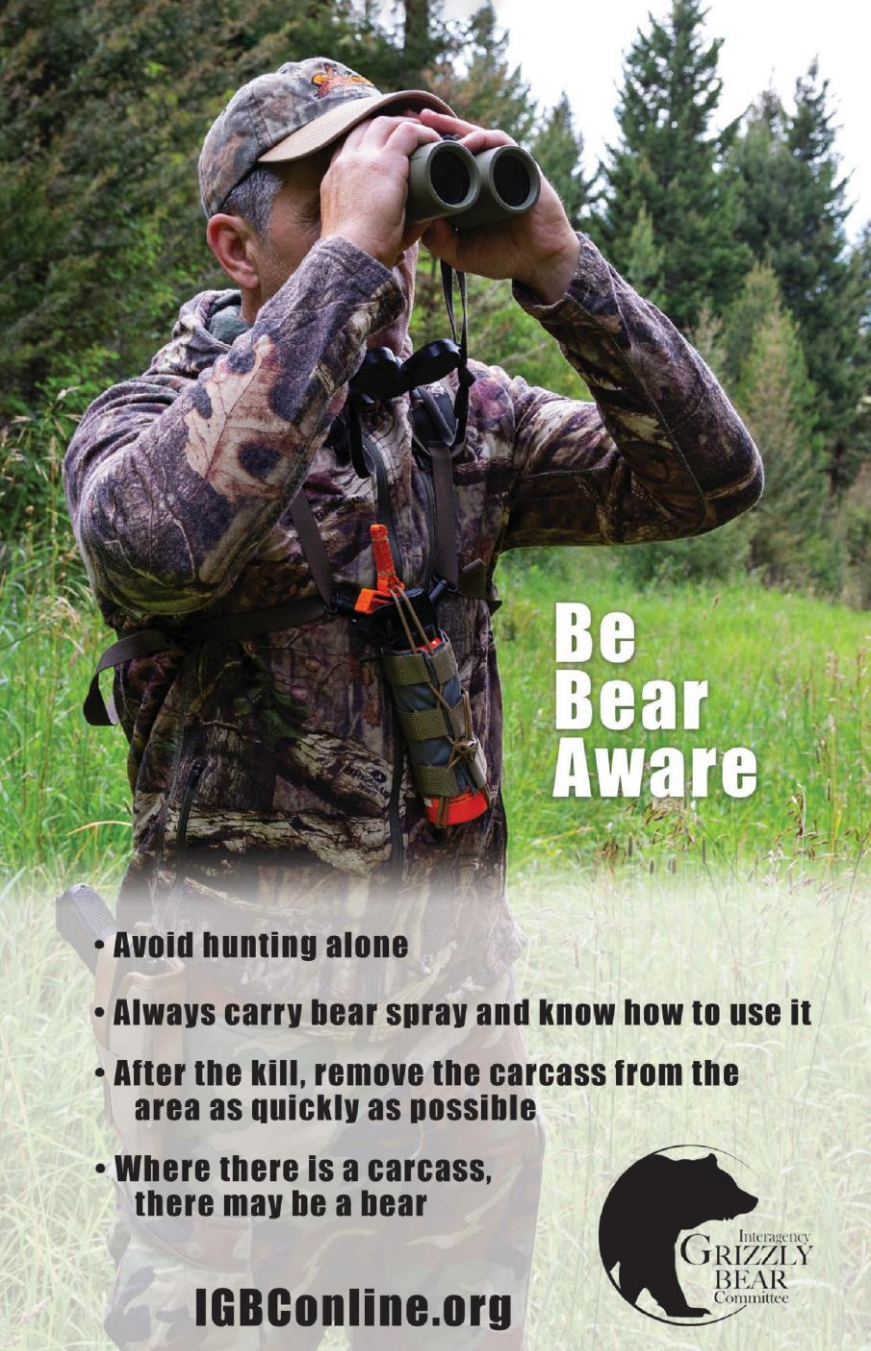
# Summer Executive Meeting: New criteria for IE&O funding adopted

- Formally added bear-resistant infrastructure as a qualified use of funds



# IE&O Subcommittee


- Advertisement in Stalk Hunting Guide (a publication of Outside Bozeman)
- In Newsletter opened by 1,765 people, 200 of those viewing digital issue.
- Distributed 7,500 printed copies
- Funding to work on the IGBC Website



**Be  
Bear  
Aware**

- **Avoid hunting alone**
- **Always carry bear spray and know how to use it**
- **After the kill, remove the carcass from the area as quickly as possible**
- **Where there is a carcass, there may be a bear**

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# Grizzly Bear Information & Outreach Summit

GRIZZLY BEAR  
INFORMATION  
OUTREACH  
SUMMIT



JAN 28-30  

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2020

*Montana*  
BEAR EDUCATION WORKING GROUP



# Yellowstone Ecosystem IE&O Work

- FWP's current work
- Working Group
- Outreach and COVID



# 2021 IE&O Funding Requests

- Open until November 6<sup>th</sup>
- Education, information, outreach and conflict-reduction infrastructure projects welcome
- Competing for \$36,000 across all Recovery Zones
- Submit application to Danielle (YES) or Lori Roberts (multi-Ecosystem requests)







Questions?