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There are no changes since our call last Wednesday. However, I have updated the attached log with the additional (late report) state take and updated numbers from the Park at the bottom. I imagine this report being close to final as most parties have indicated they will not likely be sending any more hunters until the fall.

Please let me know if anyone has specific agenda items for the May hunt meeting they would like to see addressed this year in particular.

Regards,

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2016-17 HD-385 Bison Hunt Harvest Log (GARDINER)

	Male	Female	(M) Calf	(F) Calf	Unknown	RUNNING TOTAL
	107	129	16	36	57	345
STATE	26	9	0	0	0	State ... 35
CSKT	27	72	5	20	0	CSKT ... 124
NP	12	7	0	0	51	NP ... 70
SB	7	7	1	1	6	SB ... 22
CTU	31	25	10	15	0	CTU ... 81
YN	4	9	0	0	0	YN ... 13

2016-17 HD-395 Bison Hunt Harvest Log (WEST)

	Male	Female	(M) Calf	(F) Calf	Unknown	RUNNING TOTAL
	36	34	7	4	14	95
STATE	12	16	2	0	0	State ... 30
CSKT	24	18	5	4	6	CSKT ... 57
NP	0	0	0	0	8	NP ... 8
SB	0	0	0	0	0	SB ... 0
CTU	0	0	0	0	0	CTU ... 0

2016-17 Bison Hunt Harvest Log (TOTALS)

	Male	Female	(M) Calf	(F) Calf	Unknown	RUNNING TOTAL*
	143	163	23	40	71	440
STATE	38	25	2	0	0	State ... 65
CSKT	51	90	10	24	6	CSKT ... 181
NP	12	7	0	0	28	NP ... 78
SB	7	7	1	1	6	SB ... 22
CTU	31	25	10	15	0	CTU ... 81
YN	4	9	0	0	0	YN ... 13

**The numbers below represent some hunt related mortalities and operations related removals. They are minimums.*

Wounded dispatched within Yellowstone National Park (not claimed above)	15
Wounded dispatched in the state of Montana (not claimed above)	1
Hunt related kills seized by personnel in Montana (not claimed above)	2
Bison removed for breaching tolerance zone in Montana and un huntable	3
Bison killed in vehicle collisions in Montana	2
Bison transferred to Tribes by YNP (as of Mar. 16)	748