

## Region 2 Not of Concern List

**Fisher (*Martes pennanti*)** (Note: Fisher should NOT be a sensitive species. Rather, change to "...Not of concern". Make changes on index and individual species web pages)

Only 1 record is known from the Bighorn NF and the presence of a natural and viable population is believed to be unlikely. The Shoshone NF states they have only two historic records, both from the early 1920's near the Montana border. Further, only two records exist from Yellowstone, immediately to their west. The WG&F Department states that historically the species was limited to the Greater Yellowstone ecosystem, with very few questionable records from Bighorn. This information strongly indicates lack of a current or historical viable population of this species within R2. Therefore, we withdraw the fisher from consideration as a sensitive species or a species of concern in R2.

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