

Creston Valley Grizzly Coexistence Solutions

Promoting coexistence between grizzly bears and people through education, collaboration, and use of practical tools.



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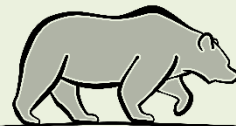


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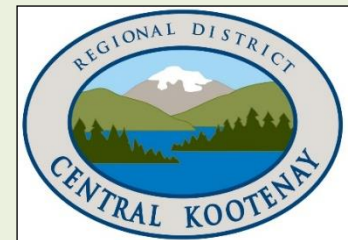
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FOCUS AREA:

- **Linkage through CV**
- **Creston Valley Flats**
- **West Creston**



Provide safe bear linkage areas by managing agricultural attractants.

This in turn will reduce conflict, and bear mortality.

Strong support for local food producers.

A balanced approach that protects people, livelihoods, and wildlife.

Coexistence is essential for conservation success.

Abundance of unmanaged agricultural attractants in Creston linkage area



Progress & Next Steps



- Community-led grizzly bear coexistence project
- Focused on education, safety, outreach & attractant management
- Increased collaboration with farmers
- Provide strong support for local food producers and electric fencing cost sharing
- A balanced approach that protects people, livelihoods, and wildlife
- Showcase and build on our successes to date



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Supporting Our
Region's Producers

Join Creston Valley
Grizzly Coexistence Solutions to
see electric fencing solutions to
deter bears at a cherry orchard
and dairy.

Date: Thu., April 2, 2026
Time: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm
Location: Creston Valley

FREE! Register at: kbfa.ca/events