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**Career Summary:**

Enthusiastic and physically fit wildlife manager with over 4+ years of experience. Dedicated and committed individual, capable of implementing government regulations for the protection of animals, habitat restoration, and initiating strategies that assist in boosting state's wildlife percentage.

**Summary of Skills:**

* Sound ability to do research & collect required data on wildlife population and prepare reports on diffferent species
* Expertise in researching habitat area and studying peculiar animal behaviors
* Experience of protecting natural resources and endangered species
* Ability to coordinate with team to save animals from hunting or illegal poaching in the assigned territory
* Capable of conducting surveys to give exact count of animal species residing in the territory, and taking initiatives to save animals on the verge of extinction
* Sound knowledge of mental and health conditions of animals affecting their behavior
* In-depth knowledge of federals' wildlife regulation and laws
* Team player and excellent communicator

**Work Experience:**

Wildlife Manager

Wildlife Protection & Removal Services, Bloomington, MN

February 2017 – Present

* Conducting population survey to understand different species in the state, and assigning each animal an RFID tag that is useful for tracking their movements
* Participating in state surveys to count animals such as great gray owls, bald eagles, wolves, black footed ferret and migratory birds
* Gathering data from various wildlife biologist on moose, elk or fishes to suggest breeding techniques and management programs
* Taking immediate rescue actions to save animals from forest fires, natural calamities, and other emergencies
* Conducting rescue operations for animals trapped in trenches or quagmire
* Collaborating with government to decide hunting seasons for maintaining the level of population in the state
* Conducting lectures in public forums and providing information about wildlife safety, and the regulations to be followed

Wildlife Manager

Johnson Wildlife Survey & Services Group, Golden Street, MN

August 2014 – January 2017

* Collaborated with inter-state agencies and USFWS when search warrants were issued to track animals for counting purpose
* Coordinated with team and informed on walkie-talkie or radio about missing animals that could not be tracked using satellite signals
* Caught small mammals of different species and conducted lab experiments by collecting samples, and released them again in forests or national parks
* Handled calls from locals about disturbances by wild animals, and supervised rescue team to carry out necessary actions to save people and animals like cougar, bobcat, or Canada lynx
* Developed restoration plans for animals whose habitats had been destroyed for government projects or due to real estates
* Monitored all complaints and helped to resolve conflicts by taking necessary actions
* Assisted veterinary doctors to perform medical examination on ailing animals, and provided timely medications

Wildlife Biologist

Johnson Wildlife Survey & Services Group, Golden Street, MN

June 2012 – July 2014

* Carried out research on the ecosystems, forests in the state, and prepared reports on animal population as per species
* Collaborated with professionals from other organizations, and worked to save endangered wildlife species by getting restriction orders from the government
* Conducted studies on the impact of commercialization and human behavior on wildlife
* Created and provided technical reports for CEQA and NEPA after doing thorough analysis
* Traveled to remote locations to study migration patterns of birds, captured their habits, and created a short documentary to raise awareness
* Participated in campaigns that were carried out to count biodiversity percentage and prepared field maps accordingly
* Took efforts for habitat restoration of animals, birds, fishes and ensured no illegal authorization happened at the place

**Education:**

* Master's Degree in Wildlife Management
University of Minnesota, Minneapolios, MN
2012
* Bachelor's Degree in Animal Science & Ecology
University of Minnesota, Minneapolios, MN
2010

**Affiliations:**

* Wildlife Society of Minnesota – Member since 2012
PETA – Member since 2011

**Reference:**

On request.